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SCENES IN AUGUSTA YESTERDAY DURING THE EXCITING MAYORALTY CONTEST.

THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION.

WALSH WINS THE MAYORALTY FIGHT

Election Was of the Cayenne

MONEY PLAYED A BIG BOLE

Votes Were Openly Purchased by the Various Partisans.

CITY OFFICIALS TOOK A PART

Former United States Senator Walsh Wins by a Plurality of 824 and Secured a Plurality or the White Votes-What Candidates Say.

By Alfred C. Newell. ta, Ga., December 1.—(Special.)—The creat fight is finished and Hon. Patrick Walsh has received the mayoralty of Augusta by a sweeping plurality. He is vic-tor by an unprecedented and unexpected Fictitious and flimsy opposition which



A WORD WITH MR. WALSH ON THE RESULT OF THE ELECTION

Mayor-Elect of Augusta Gives The Constitution His Views on Municipal Government and Tells of His Fight and Victory.

Augusta, Ga., December 1 .- (Special.)-When Mr. Walsh in formally inaugurated tomorrow at noon, he will outline his policy of the next three years as mayor. Tonight he gave to The Constitution the causes which, in his mind, led to his election, and on idea of what issues would be put in force during the com-

"I consider the result an expression of the will of the people. I have advocated are, in municipal affairs and fought the trade and barter of city offices. I was the candidate of sion of the will of the to sustain me in the stand I have thus taken. I have never nad any doubt but the majority of voters would appreciate the wisest course. Against me was arrayed the whole city government. I had to fight the machine. It was a battle from the beginning. I feel pleased that my friends were so loyal. I wish to thank them all. I shall give my utmost endeavor to put in practice all the principles I have advocated. I shall try to do what they demand."

had appeared real and substantial was a grand swell of shent strength. It was more than the voice of the people. It was emphatic condemnation of methods man who is hailed tonight by thousands of parading citizens as a hero of the allconquering variety.

The triumph of Mr. Walsh and his absolute vindication came in a way more emphatic than had been counted on. His followers had expected him to win. They were not prepared for the knockout which he gave with such stinging fury to Mr. Dan

In the fourth ward, the largest in the city. Kerr claimed 1,500 before the election, and when he visited the polls there at noon and saw inevitable defeat staring him in the face, he fainted and was sent home in a carriage.

The success of Mr. Walsh is attributable to three causes-superior generalship in the capture of the polling places; the large number of silent voters who had not cared to be conspicuous in the preliminary batof friends, many of the most prominent citizens, who crowded in among gangs of olored voters all day.

The flutter of crisp five-dollar bills was a telling element and the Walsh people had a barrel on at every precinct. Mr. Kerr did not make the race which his supporters counted on. He was handicapped from the jump and never recovered. He accepted his defeat in a philosophical way and accounts for his failure in the predominance of Walsh money. It was not expected that Mr. W. M. Dumbar would run heavy. He ised no money and kept out of the scramble for negroes which the friends of the other candidates resorted to.

The day was notably free from serious difficulties. The most conspicuous incidents were the active attitude taken by city of ficials and the open purchase of ballots everywhere. It was late tonight before the final count was announced. This showed that Walsh had a plurality of 824 votes. The total vote cast was 7,502. Of this the white vote was: Walsh, 1,500; Kerr

The vote by wards was as follows:

Walsh, Kerr. ... 672 316 ... 725 351 ... 730 392 ... 1,011 1,026 ... 220 449 1,610 2 258 2 534 " well it was definitely known that Mr. Walsh had been elected a procession form-

ed and marched to his residence, where he spoke, followed by E. J. Collins and J. Rice Smith. Mr. Walsh promised municpal reform and repeated his platform ments of the city charter. Mr. Kerr takes his defeat mildly. He said:

Mr. Dunbar does not feel depressed. He

paign not to use money. I have participated in no fraudulent practices. I knew it was futle to cope against huge campaign funds, and this money, it seems, was the decisive factor in the fight Mr. Walsh is a good man. He will make a splendid mayor. I am glad he promises reform.

The inauguration of Mr. Walsh will take place tomorrow at the opera house at noon, It will be a notable occasion and hundreds of ladies will be there.

Tonight the Walsh procession gave special serenades to Manager Henry Cohen, Colonel Garrett, the successful candidates for council in the first, to Sandy Cohen and Ed Hook, all of whom have been bulwarks in the campaign.

Walsh Men in Command.

Refore the sun had risen it was seen that the Walsh men were in possession of the field. They had camped about the polls all night. They were under the command of skillful leaders. These men who were to decide the mayoralty contest were herded swinelike in stalls ready to be marched up at a moment's notice.

In some way, inexplicable to the Kerr men, the Walsh forces had made the first sweep. The friends of the former senator took the lead and kept it. They never swerved. Among the whites an avalanche of silent votes were pouring out, representbe mixed up with a corrupt campaign. These were the members of the "vest pockbrigade, and they were going in rap

idly. It was nearly 11 o'clock before the Kerr forces got possession of the polls, and most too late to recuperate. The body blow had been given, and Walsh was the laureled

Quiet as a Sabbath.

Up to the time the result was announced the streets of Augusta were a Sabbath-like aspect. There was no noise, no demostration save now and then the passing of a band or a squad of intoxicated darkeys. business houses were closed, and altogether there was an air of subdued excitement

everywhere until the result was known. Then the people came forth. The leaders who had remained housed during the morning came out and flaunted gay colors for Mr. Walsh, Bands began to play about The Chronicle office, and the rejoicing of the victorious forces was emphatic.

As a whole Augusta was remarkably quiet. No serious difficulties occurred. In this respect the election was remarkable. Battle for the Polls.

The battle of the clans for the polling places was the most interesting feature prior to the opening of the boxes. This had kept up all night with terrific furore. Meetings had been held, barbecues prepared and every imaginable device concocted for herding the negro voters. The result of the election depended upon the control of these colored votes, and the like the wind. He gazed up at the figure of voters were holding out to the highest bidders. It was superior generalship and skillful manipulation which placed the Walsh men in control of all the precincts except the fourth ward. Thousands of regroes had been herded together all night, entertained by brass bands, sermons from men of their own race, and crap-shooting games free to all.

of four out of the five voting place In the Bloomy Fourth.

It was only after a pitched battle that the Kerr men secured the fourth, which is known as "the bloody ward," because of various difficulties recorded there in past

As early as 11 o'clock the Walsh men had corralled their forces in a wagon yard, and soon after midnight marched in line over to the polls, where they filled the alley way prepared for negroes standing two abreast. They were to stand there until 8 o'clock in the morning. A Baptist preacher was at the head of the column, lining up a revival hymn, which the crowd would catch up and repeat in true camp-meeting fashion. In the meantime this minister was exhorting his brethren and prevailing upon them to keep the precepts of the Bible to shun evil and vote for Mr. Walsh." The crowd was swaying with religious fervor, and the minister was doing out his doctrine in a high minor key, when there came a sudden noise toward the rear guard. Hundreds of men were seen leaping over the high fence in rear of the polls. The eaders of the Walsh gang realized at once what this meant. The Kerr clans had come o capture the precinct. Three separate Kerr clubs were there, having massed their forces upon information that the Waish men were in command. They outnumbered their enemies, and in addition to this were instructed to resort to force, if neces-Several rocks were thrown in the Walsh line, but those of this faith realized the futility of holding out against such numbers, and made immediate flight. Leaders and couriers were sent out for reinforcements, but when these arrived the Kerr men were making a Gibraltar stand, and could not be shaken.

Thus it was that for the first two hours after the opening of the polls, Kerr votes were cast in the fourth ward.

Where Justice Was No other great excitement or unusua clash occurred except at the courthouse. which was the scene of the second ward precinct. It was in the left wing of the huge structure that the booth had been erected, and in one of the clerks' offices the managers of the election were to keep

High over the scene was the bronze figure of Justice, blindfolded and deflant, with he scales of equity adjusted to a careful nicety, and the scimitar of impartiality poised to make an even blow. Below the crowd was surging in delirious

fury, and an officious darkey with a high hat was yelling: "Wait until after 12 o'clock to cast your

votes, boys. They'll give you \$5 then. You can't get but \$2 now."

It was a collection of Walsh forces which had taken possession of the courthouse. Rooms on the bottom floor were open and the darkeys were marched in squad by squad until it was estimated that over 300 were in the pen. This was to be a quiet game and the negroes were strictly in structed to make no noise in order that the alarm might not be given to the Kerr men. But the opposition forces did take note

A patrolman sounded the alarm. Mayor Young was informed that the courtney was in possession of a great gang of Walst supporters. It was after midnight and he drove rapidly to the scene. It is a well-known fact that the mayo

was giving his active support to Mr. Kerr under terms of the agreement made three years ago when Kerr retired to let him make the race alone. The active part supposed to have been taken by Mayor Young was accountable for the turn-down he re ceived at the hands of the crowd. He informed them that they must vacate, that they had agreed not to enter the court house, and that it was in strict violation of this understanding that they occupied the place. But the command of the mayo had no effect. He was met with a series of jeers, and from the crowd of heelers, negroes and boys came a cyclone of abu

sive epithets. Justice and went off in the opposite direc

you," said the crowd. "Judge Eve and the sheriff are the only men we will mind." The mayor, smarting under the rebu the sheriff, who made an official call upo

BILL TO SAVE MRS. NOBLES' LIFE

DENOUNCES

Legislature Comes to the Aid of the Convicted Murderess.

CRIMINAL LAW TO BE CHANGED

for Females.

SOVERNOR ATKINSON FAVORS MEASURE

He Is Said To Have Inspired the Bill. It Is Intended To Fit Mrs. Nobles' Case as Well as Others.

The Georgia legislature has come to the aid of Mrs. Nobles. It is highly probable that a bill will be passed which will save the Twiggs county

murderess from the gallows. Mr. Berry, of Whitfield, introduced bill last night which makes it impossible for the death sentence to be inflicted upon a woman who has been found guilty of murder unless the jury expressly recommends that she be hanged.

The bill does not mention the name of Mrs. Nobles and there are some who think it cannot affect her case, but it is known that the bill was introduced at the request of one who had the Nobles case in view. Mr. Berry says that the bill will save Mrs. Nobles if it passes in time.

As the jury which tried Mrs. Nobles did not recommend that she be hanged, the bill will save her life. If it is found that the bill as it now stands will not effect ist its purpose, it will be so amended as to

It was stated in the house that the bill was introduced at the suggestion of Governor Atkinson, who was anxious to learn the sentiments of the general assembly on the subject. The governor will soon be called upon to commute Mrs. Nobles's sentence, and he doubtless would feel relieved if there was a law on the statutes that named life imprisonment as a penalty for murder committed by a woman. The b.ll in full is as follows:

"A bill to be entitled an act to fix the penalty in cases or conviction of a remaie for a capital offense and to prescribe when and under what circumstances the infliction of the death penaity in such cases shall be allowed, and for other purposes.

"Section 1. be it enacted by the general assembly of the state of Georgia, and it is hereby enacted by authority of the same, that from and after the passage of this that from and after the passage of this act the death penalty shall in no case be innicted upon a remale convicted of a capital felony under the laws of the state unless the jury impaneled to try the case shall in rendering their verdict expressly recommend the infliction of such penalty, and in the absence of such a recommendation, the judge, upon a verdict of guilty, shall sentence the female so convicted to imprisonment in the penitentiary for His. "Sec. 2. Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid that all laws and parts in conflict with the provisions of this act be and the same are hereby repealed." be and the same are hereby repea

HER CELLULOID COMB ABLAZE. Serious Accident to Miss Bertie Wilson, in Kentucky.

Vanceburg, Ky., December 1.-Miss tie Wilson, of South Manchester, this county, sixteen years of age, cousin of Hon. R. D. Wilson, of this city, met with a novel and fearful accident yesterday af-

She was sitting in front of a coal stove making a drawing, her head bent low, when, quick as a lightning flash her cellulold comb caught fire. The blaze at once enveloped her head. She ran screaming into the dining room. Her father hap pened to be in and, keeping his presence of mind, seized a bucket of water and poured it over the girl's head.

The flames were stopped, but not be fore all her ha'r was burned, off and s clothing also ignited and her arms, back and shoulders were badly burned.

ST. LOUIS BUILDING BURNED Large Fire Does Damage to Amount of \$200,000.

St. Louis, December 1.-Fire was discovered in the A. O. Sawyer & Co. paper factory on Locust, near Third street, at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon and within an hour the establishment was in ruins and a number of adjoining buildings were badly damaged. The general loss is estimated at

Just how the fire started is not known, the flames suddenly bursting from the second floor of the five-story building. It was soon a roaring furnace, the fire communicating across the narrow street to the Economic bindery plant, the Young Mc-Kinney Printing Company, the Missouri Engraving Company, Woodward-Tierman Printing Company and Higgins Map Printing Company.



Kinney Company's plant.

It is claimed that all the companies were

MINERS' STRIKE IN ALABAMA

Men in Seven Collieries Leave Work for

Higher Wages.

Chattanooga, Tenn., December 1 .- A spe-

cial to The Times, from Birmingham, Ala.,

"News comes from Walker county to-

night that mines at Corona, Lockhart, Pal-

lon Black Diamond, Coal Valley, Mountain

Valley and Gas Light, about 1,200 all told.

struck today, it is alleged, because of the

failure of the operators to restore the 10

per cent reduction in wages made last

spring and which the miners claim the

Gap, Sunday, formulated a final demand

Coal Company, Deer Creek Coal Company

and the Mountain Valley Coal and Coke

"The strike leaders claim the strike will

spread to other Walker county mines, but

"After months of disastrous cut rate war

treaty of peace has been signed and a gen-

"St. Louis people are particularly inter-

cult Company, the most powerful of the

three combinations which have for several

years controlled the baking business of the

"The deal is now in progress and it is

expected that within the next twenty days

the consolidation will have been effected."

NEGRO WOMAN HAS REVENGE.

Beaten by a Man. She Accuses Him of

St. Louis, December 1.-The old adage,

'murder will out." stands a good chance
of being put to the test.
Will:am Simms, a negro, gave his mis-

She declared that Simms had murdered a sleeping man in New Orleans, and that he

was wanted in Carthage, Mo., for burglary, Simms collapsed when she made the

charges. The records show ne is wanted

in Carthage, as the woman charged. Invest gation will be made concerning the asserted murder in New Orleans.

HEWS SAYS HE IS IN EARNEST.

Still Recruiting "Sooners" To Invade

Indian Reservations.

L. Hews, the boomer who claims to have enrolled in Wichita 200 recruits to the

Sooner" army, with which he hoped to

nyade the Wichita mountain country

within the Klowa and Comanche Indian

Wichita, Kan., December 1.-Captain E

re stained with blood."

severe beating and she had him d. When placed on the stand in he cried: "The hands that beat me

Murder.

the operators do not appear alarmed."

Company.

say tomorrow:

\$55,000,000 formed.

United States.

WEST POINT WINS; RECEIVERDENIED

Consent Verdict Reached in the Nelson Bill.

CHARTER IS DECLARED VALID

Properly Managed.

Mr. Nelson Asked for Receiver, Alleging That the Road's Charter Had Expired, Which the Verdict Denies-Plaintiffs To Pay Costs.

The Atlanta and West Point railroad has

charter by Mr. Levi Nelson In a consent verdict which was reached vesterday morning the receiver was denied, the application for injunction was refused and Mr. Nelson, the plaintiff, as appears from the court papers, was ordered to pay

in safety. At 4:30 o'clock the walls of the paper company fell, crushing in the Mc-MANAGEMENT," SAYS COLLIER

Atlanta's Chief Executive Says He Believes There Will Be No More Such Elections in Augusta.

Augusta, Ga., December 1.-(Special.)-Mayor C. A. Collier, of Atlanta, was in Augusta during the day. He came to be a student of election methods in this place. I saw Mr. Collier tonight at the Arlington. He was jubilant over the Walsh victory, but bitter in his denunciation of the methods here

"I have visited all the polling places," he said. "I never saw more corrupt management. The Atlanta system is the only true way. The white primary is the only plan. I have seen money openly handed to men today for their votes. "More to be regretted than all else is the partisanship of the city officials. I have seen the fire chief and the chief of police taking active stands in the fight today. In Atlanta they would be expelled almost if they expressed their opinion. The red wagons of the city officers have been dashing about all day. This is a

"I have talked with the various can didates, and I think it is safe to say that there will never be another negro election for a white mayor in Augusta

Sooner" army he addressed a letter to the costs in the case Secretary Bliss, in which he asserts there is no desire, on the part of himself or his men to act in defiance of law or the prin ciples of justice. He adds:

ty, except American and Mountain Top, are idle. The operators involved are the Virginia and Alabama Coal Company, Corona

> no trifling or arourary treatment from the Indian agents and government officials." This is supposed to mean that the boom-ers are determined to invade the reservaion.
> The boomer chief declares his army will be ready to move by the middle of the

BROKE JAIL AT SYLVANIA. further, charging that by operation of THREE TRUSTS WILL COMBINE. Four Prisoners Get Away-Pursuel Cracker Companies Will Consoli ate Fifteen Miles. Their Interests, It Is Said.

Sylvania, Ga., December 1.-(Special.)-St. Louis, December 1.-The Republic will The prisoners broke jail here last night, and four of them have made good their escape. No one sleeps in the jail, and the and four of them have made good their escape. No one sleeps in the jail, and the between the three big cracker trusts a negroes prized their way out of the door with a stick of wood. Willie Lovett, a chaingang youth, did not wish to leave, and circles, as every road in the south has been watching the case. The yerdict trick of their escape. The sheriff's blooderal consclidation agreed upon. The stock of the American Biscult Company, the New York Biscuit Company and the United hounds were put on their trail, but the States Biscuit Company will be pooled and orisoners, it is thought, had several hours a new company with a capital stock of the start of the dog. He followed the trail for fifteen miles, leaving the officers behind, and it is probable ran the negroes to ested in the development of the trouble bay, but as the pressing party had lost him he came back home, reaching here sevbetween the great rival corporations, as eral hours ahead of them. Two of the negroes who escaped were under sentence to the penitentiary, and two of the largest cracker bakeries in the

United States are located in this city. They two to the chaingang. are the Dozler Bakery Company and the NO NEW JURORS FOR LUETGERT. plant of the Manewal-Lange Company, both of which are included in the American Bis-

Some Warm Times Between McEwen and Harmon.

Chicago, December 1:—The examination of talesmen in the Luetgert case today was marked by many conflicts between Assistant State's Attorney McEwen and At-torney Harmon, counsel for the defense. Judge Gary was required to interfere frequently. Attorney Harmon in catechising vernire men took frequent occasion to at-tack the reliability of police testimony. No new jurors were accepted, though

O'FERRALL DISCUSSES LYNCHING In His Message Proposes Remedy To Correct Evil.

Richmond, Va., December 1.—In his mes-sage to the general assembly, which con-rened today, (lovernor O'Ferra'l discusses the lynching question and proposes legislaion to correct the evil.

He urges that a heavy pecuniary penalty

the military may be called out to protect a prisoner in a county or city, such com-ty or city be charged with the expense thereof and that officers who allow orisoners to be taken from their custody without first having exhausted all possible neans to protect their prisoners, be marily suspended until the question of de-missal shall be determined by a jury. Also that there be only one penalty for

Spalding Sent to Penitentiary. Chicago, December 1.—Charles Warren spalding, ex-president of the Globe Sav-

The verdict was signed by Foreman Lyle. bearing the consent of the Georgia Railroad and Banking Company, King & An-

derson, attorneys for the plaintiff, and

"But, by the memory of George Washington, sir, we have the right of free born American citizens to expect consideration from you and all other servants of the people.

"We will be remembered that the litigation began several months ago, when Mr. Nel-Dorsey, Brewster & Howell, attorneys for son, in his petition attacked the charter of the Atlanta and West Point, claiming that the amendment to the charter extending it fifty years was unconstitution al. The petition asked for the appointment of a receiver and asked that a restraining

> and that its property and assets were then a trust fund. Every allegation in this bill is denied in one reached by consent of all parties and

order be allowed. The petition went ever

the law the corporation had been dissolved

in full is as follows:

"We, the jury, find and decree: That the charter of the Atlanta and West Point Railroad Company did not expire on December 20, iss6.

"That the act of the legislature of Georgia amending the charter of the Atlanta and West Point Railroad Company and extending its corporate existence for a period of fifty years from approval of said act, to-wit: December 19, 1896, is not unconstitutional for any of the reasons charged and is a valid and constitutional act and had the legal effect of amending and extending said charter, as provided therein.

and extending said charter, as provided therein.

'That said charter, as amended by the act of the legislature of Georgia, approved December 19, 1896, was duly and legally accepted by the Atlanta and West Point Railroad Company and became effective as the charter of said company from the date of its approval by the governor, to-wit: December 19, 1896, and that the charter of the Atlanta and West Point Railroad company had not expired by a failure of said company to accept said amended charter prior to December 21, 1896, or for any other reason or cause complained of in plaintiff's petition, and that all its acts and doings since the approval of said act amending said charter are legal and valid.

"That the act of said Atlanta and West

and valid.
"That the act of said Atlanta and West Foint Ra.lroad Company in accepting said amended charter was effective to conclude all stockholders therein and the stockholders, including petitioner, are bound thereby.

amended charter was effective to conclude all stockholders therein and the stockholders, including petitioner, are bound thereby.

"That the corporate life and existence of the Atlanta and West Point Railroad Company did not expire at midnight December 20, 1896, and said corporation has not been dissolved by operation of law, and the property and assets have not become a trust fund to be administered for the benefit of its creditors and shareholders, but the same is now being protected, operated and managed by its officers and agents, legally appointed by said corporation under a legal and valid charter.

"That at the date of the filing of said petition, those in charge of said corporation and its property were its legally appointed officers and agents and had the legal authority to manage and control the same, and its operation by such officers or agents was not and is not unauthorized and lilegal and the stockholders are not thereby made partners and liable as partners for the debts and hazards of said operation.

"That the petitioner, Levi Nelson, is entitled to none of the relief prayed for in said petition.

"That receiver, injunction and all other relief is denied.

"That the petitioner, Levi Nelson, pay all costs of this proceeding.

December 1, 1897.

"Consented to by the Georgia Railroad and Banking Company, by James B. Cummings, Henry D. McDaniel, its solicitors; King and Spalding, plaintiff's attorneys; Dorsey. Brewster & Howell, attorneys; Dorsey. Brewster & Howell, attorneys;

be imposed on each county and city in which a lynching occurs; that wherever rape, and that death.

eservation in Oklahoma territory, left here today for Oklahoma City, where he

ngs bank, was today sentenced to an inde-

SAY THEY PLEAD FOR THEIR LIVES

Railroads Ask for Extension of Time To Put Safeguards on Cars.

REPLY OF THE EMPLOYEES

Would Rather Equip the Cars Them selves Than Be in Danger Longer.

STATISTICS OF THE RAILROAD ACCIDENTS

Owing to the Lack of Air Brakes, Car Couplers and Hand Rails on Freight Cars.

Washington, December 1.-The United

States commerce commission today opened the hearing of the railroads which have petitioned for an extension of the time in which they can comply with the law of 1893, requiring them to equip their cars and engines with automatic car couplers hand rails and airbrakes. The representatives or attorneys of several hundred railroads and also of leading labor organizations were present and the chamber in which the commission met was crowded to the doors. Intense interest was manifested. John K. Cowen, one of the receivers of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad presented the case of the roads to the commission. Samuel representing the Boston and Albany railroad, made a brief argument to show the utterly paralysis of traffic which must follow if roads which had complied with the law were compelled to cease hauling only equipped cars. Of the fright cars of the country 441/2 per cent were now equipped with car couplers and 3616 per cent had the additional airbrake attach ment. He argued that this was sufficient evidence that the roads had made an honest effort to comply with the law. He of fered as the principal reason why the roads had not complied fully the industrial depression which followed the passage of the act in 1893, which he said had rendered them financially unable to make the outlay required by the law.

defective and that congress recognized this by giving the commission the power to suspend its operation. The single question presented to the commission, he argued, was the method and extent of extension unless an extension was granted Interstate commerce must gease. He urged that the extension be for five years, with provision for an equipment of one-fifth of the cars each year, and thus working to full and complete compliance. If there was then default, cars not equipped, he said, could be withdrawn from the interstate commerce without endangering the trans portation facilities of the country. He further said that it would cost a great sum for the railways to comply the law. This money must be earned. If the commission declined an extension the roads would be absolutely unable to equip their cars out of their own resources The cost, he said, must come out of the wages of the employees if the roads were to be driven beyond their financial ability.

He contended that the law as passed wa

The percentage of equipped cars for the control of trains ranged, according to estimates given by experts present, from 20. to 60 per cent.

Morrissey Shows Casualties.

P. H. Mcrrissey, representing the Broth-erhood of Railway Trainmen, the Railroad Conductors' Association, the Locomotive Engineers, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and the Association of Railroad Telegraphers, followel Mr. Cowen with a presentation of the attitude of the railroad employees toward the solicited extension.

During the past five years 2,500 railroad men have been killed annually and between 20,000 to 25,000 injured." he said. "Of these casualties 60 per cent were directly attributable to the two evils this law was designed to correct. The slaughter would continue as long as the present con-

He thought something should be don with roads, which being able at least to comply partially had utterly disregarded the law. He replied rather heatedly to the intimation of wage reduction thrown out by Mr. Cowen. "I speak in no defiant spirit." said Mr

Morrissey, "but I want to say that when the question of a reduction of wages is presented to us we will meet it. If the alternative of reducing wages or the maining to the organizations which I represent, I



The murderer who, at dead of night, ereeps, stealthily out to bury the dead and mangled body of his victim inspires men with horror and dread. There is a murderer abroad who yearly slays one-sixth of all the human race who go down to untimely deaths. This dread monster is called consumption. The approach of consumption is slow and insidious. First there is a slight disorder Insidious. First there is a slight disorder of the digestion. The appetite is poor and the nourishing properties of the food are not properly assimilated. The blood becomes thin and impure. The body begins to starve. Old tissues of the body are not properly replaced by new. The lung tissues are not properly nourished and are inert and half dead. In this condition they offer a good soil for the germs of consumption which invade and attack them.

invade and attack them.

This operation is promptly reversed by pr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It novigorates the digestion and appetite and makes assimilation perfect. It builds up and purifies the blood. It makes new and healthy tissue to replace the old, inert mat-ter which it causes to be carried off. It drives out all disease-germs. Thousands of cases given up as hopeless have been cured. cases given up as hopeless have been cured.

Miss Laura Piersel; of East Bethlehem, Washington Co., Pa., writes: "I must write you telling you of the great benefit derived from the use
of your Golden Medical Discovery." Last summer my friends thought I was surely going into
consumption, and having tried doctors with no
aatisfactory results and hearing your medicine so
highly spoken of. I took one bottle. My cough
left me together with all the distressing symptoms, and in fact the cure seemed almost miractious to all who saw me."

Dr. Pierre's Pleasant Bellate and the

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are tiny, mgar-coated granules that are an unfailing and permanent cure for constipation.

do not healtate to say that they would pre-fer to go out and equip the roads them-

He called attention to great financial losses the beneficial associations of the roads had sustained. In death and disaoility claims \$2,000,000 had been paid out during the past five years, enough to completely equip a road like the Louisville and

Willing for a Year's Extension. When pressed by Chairman Morrisson, Mr. Morrissey replied that the railroad employees agree that the maximum extension nust not exceed a year.

In discussing the proposition of the railroads made by Mr. Cowen, Mr. Morrissey asked if the commission in granting ar extension had the power to impose cond

ons. "I am sorry to say," replied Chairman Morrison, "that there are some things the commission does not know, and that is one of them."

Ex-Senator Butler, of South Carolina, on behalf of the Mobile and Ohio railroad, as a member of the senate at the time of the assage of the act, confirmed Mr. Cowen's tatement that the law was tentative.

Mr. Lewis, of the New York Central, whose road has complied fully, asked for the extens on on the ground that the commission could not contemplate such an in-terruption of traffic as must follow the in-

RUHLIN WON IN TENTH ROUND

Orleans Last Night. RYAN PUT UP GOOD FIGHT

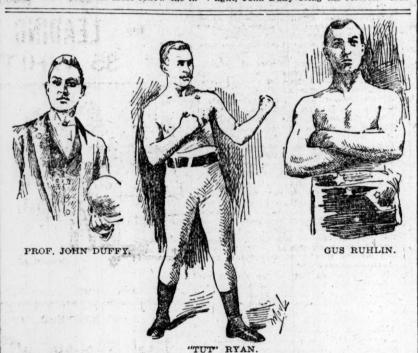
That Was Result of Prize Fight in New

But His Opponent Was Taller and Heavier.

RUHLIN'S BLOWS IN LAST ROUND HEAVY

Australian Weakened from the Effects of Them and Referee Duffy Gave the Battle to Ruhlin.

New Orleans, December 1.-Gus Ruhlin the giant heavyweight of Akron, O., de feated Tut Ryan, of Australia, tonight at the Tulane Athletic Club in a ten-round fight. John Duffy being the referee. Ruh



ability of his and other terminal reads to Ex-Congressman Harrison, of Alabama, made the point that the yellow fever in the south had been a severe strain on southern roads. The several roads which had fully complied, those which had between 75 and 100 per cent of their cars continued, and those with between 75 and 250 per cent of their cars. quipped and those with between 70 and 75 per cent, were called and the representa-tive of each gave an estimate of time in

could be completed.
Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, joined in Mr.
Morrissey's protest against any undue extension of the time for compliance with Mr. Clark, representing the Chicago and

hich the work of complying with the law

Great Western, said his company could not afford and had not the facilities to equip the unequipped cars with couplers within one year. There were about 3,000 of

What were the earnings of your read last year?" asked Commissioner Prouty.
"Over \$4,000,000."
"Why could not the road apply \$60,000 next year to equipping its cars with

'It would not be economical," replied Mr. Clark.

Mr. Clark.

Commissioner Knapp asked if the commissioner granted an extension for one year with the understanding that one-fifth of the cars should be equipped in that perfod and there should be default, whether there would not then be the same practica difficulty to face as exists now.

Mr. Cowen replied in the affirmative and insisted that the commission must allow sufficient time. To grant two years' extenstor, for instance, he said, with the absolute certainty that the roads could not comply would be a continuous invitation the radroads to default

Morrissey and Cowen in Warm Debate. The hearing today closed with a somewhat sensational exchange between Mr. Cowen and Mr. Morrissey. Mr. Cowen, in closing, indigmantly repudiated the idea that Mr. Gompers or Mr. Morrissey in any way represented the employees of the Baltimore and Oh.o railroad. These employees, he declared, had not been consulted and he resented the assumption of the labor leaders that they represented the workers on his road. He warned the commission against the humanitarian view urged by these gentlemen. The perils of the new appliances, he said, had not been estab lished. Statistics on his road showed they killed more, but maimed less, than the old system. In a business matter, he said with some temper, it was always danger-ous to yield to alleged humanitarian con-siderations. He used no veiled irony in his references to Mr. Morrissey's assump-

tion of authority.

Mr. Morrissey jumped to his feet when
Mr. Cowen sat down. He had tried, he
said, to occupy a dignified attitude throughout the hearing. He did not desire to give the statements of the railroads were being made, but, he said, he deemed it his duty o reply to the insinuation of Mr. Cower

He refused to be discredited and he de nied that he had assumed authority not vested in him. Eighty-five per cent of the employees of the Baltimore and Ohlo, he said, were members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, and at the Toront convent on last year he had unanimously been empowered to state the position of been empowered to state the position of the members to the interstate commerce commission. Every division of the Baltimore and Ohio had been represented at the convention. Upon that authority, he sad, he denied Mr. Cowen's statement.

"I said the question of a year's extension had never been presented to the employees of the Baltimore and Ohio," interrupted Mr. Cowen, "and I repeat it."

"The Toronto convention," retorted Mr.
Morrissey. "voted against any extension."
He then explained further that he had appealed to the convention not to the his hands, but to leave him free to use his judgment, and that this discretion had been accorded him. afterwards the hearing was adjourn

TWENTY MEN BADLY INJURED. Explosion in a Coal Mine Fatally Hurts Two Men.

Des Moines, Ia., December 1.—The boiler in the engine room at the Glenwood coal mine exploded at 12:30 today. Twenty men were in the engine room and not one excepted in the company of th The fatally injured are:

Griffiths, head, back and hands Reece Griffiths, head, back and hands scalded. Dan Williams, face, side and arms burned. others were seriously burned and scaled. The building was wrecked and the end of the boiler blown 100 yards. The only explanation offered is that some of the men must have leaned upon the safety valve.
The victims all lly in Des Moines or its

lin was the taller and heavier, weighing about 190 pounds. Ryan tipped the bean at 175 pounds, and like his opponent, was in the best of condition.

Ruhlin at the outset seemed awkward and Ryan in point of cleverness showed considerable superiority. The Australian realizing his disadvantage with the giant, cleverly fought for the body, and in the first eight rounds landed with plenty or force on the body. For a time this weak ened Ruhlin, but he gained courage, and finally become stronger and gained the day blows in the last two rounds were hard, and Ryan was groggy and could hardly have stood the terrible raids

On every side Ryan was given praise for his gameness and brilliancy, while Ruhlin as simply looked upon as a husky heavy-weight, with little chance of ever becoming a champion.

Referee Duffy admitted that Ryan did the greater part of the leading, but claim that Ruhlin countered him at close quar ters and unquestionably outfought th aller man, and in the last two rounds Ryan was practically a beaten man. Rublin and Maher will now be matched The event of the evening was preceded by a four-round boxing match between Jim

Hall and Tom McCarthy. Description of Ruhlin.

Ruhlin, who won the battle, is a native of Ohio and makes his own blographical sketch this way: town that President McKin ey lived in b fore he was made president. From at early age, however, have lived at Ak on be considered one of the cty. worked around the printing work at the business. I handle paper, rol ers and do heavy work. I have a chance to work at any time that I am not in train ing. I have been about two and years a boxer-st first not of mu count in the line of science, but gradually bettering my ability. I fought a man named Woods at Cleveland—not Bill Woods-I don't know the man's first name won in three rounds. I did the same kindness to Con Tobin at Barberton, C., 1 five rounds. I boxed four rounds Peter Maher and got a draw, and then beat Touy Gelder, whom I knocked out. My next contest was with 'Yank' Kenney. He is a big fellow—as large as I am and about my build. We met at North Baltimore for twenty rounds. To the fifteenth round I had all the better of the con e In the sixteenth he came at me strong and had the better of the round. To my sur prise as the next round opened the contes

La Grippe Cured

This modern malady has become dreaded not more for its direct fatality than for the weakness of body and mind it leaves behind it. Prolonged debility, permanent prostration, melancholy and suicide follow La Grippe. For this disease there is no remedy superior to Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

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South Hampton, N. H. "My wife and five children were taken down with is grippe, while the disease was so widely prevalent. I dosed them with Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and before using quite two bottles my family was restored to health. I know of several obstinate cases of the same which were also cured by J. PARMINTER, Paulette, Miss.

"I was cured of la grippe by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral." C. S. THOMPSON, Pub. "Signal," West Farmington, O.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

was given to Kennedy. It was the only time I have jost a decision, and J don't think I should have been given the mark. By the way, Kennedy is a good man with the gloves and is very well thought of about New York. He's the fad of the New York Athletic Club members, and I hope to meet him again after a bit. I next knocked out Dominick Cain at Cleveland, O. That was a peculiar contest. I first finished him in two rounds, but his friends were not satisfied, and after a five-m nute were not satisfied, and after a five-minute wait we went at it once more, and I whip-ped him in four rounds. I went to New York, and there arranged to box Steve O'Donnell and won a decision over him to ten rounds." ten rounds."

SYBIL SANDERSON MARRIED. Opera Singer Wedded to Antonio Terry in Paris.

Paris, December 1.-Miss Sybil Sanderson the opera singer, was quietly married here today to Mr. Antonio Terry. Immediately after the ceremony they left for Italy. Mr. Terryeis a Cuban by birth. His father, Thomas Terry, the Cuban "sugar king," was said to be worth between \$30,000,000 and

Miss Sanderson is an American, th daughter of Judge Sanderson, of California. Her triumphs on the operatic stage abroad have for some years been a matte of record. She is considered one of the greatest beautles in the French capital. When the late Mrs. Antonio Terry instituted divorce proceedings in Paris, in which her husband preferred counter charges, she added the name of Miss Sanderson to list of six co-respondents.

SLOAN HAS OTHER CONTRACTS. Kentuckians Say Jockey Had Signed Before Leaving.

Memphis, Tenn., December 1.-A special to The Commercial-Appeal from Lexing ton, Ky., says:

The dispatch from London stating tha Tod Sloan had been engaged to ride the horses belonging to the prince of Wales, created a sensation among the many turfmen attending the sales here today.

Tom Walsh, the trainer of Colonel Charles Fleischmann, says that Sloan is under contract with the colonel to ride for him next year at a salary of \$12,000; that the contract was properly drawn up and signed by the colonel and Sloan a short time previous to Sloan's sailing for England. The English owners are outbidding each

other for Sloan's services next season, but it is believed that thus far he has pledged himself only to the prince of Wales, and possibly to Mr. Lorillard also.

FINE HORSES UNDER HAMMER Woodward and Shanklin Sale at Lexington, Ky.
Lexington, Ky. December 1.—The following thoroughbreds brought \$500 or over a

the Woodward & Shanklin sa.e, wh.ca

the Woodward & Shanklin sa.e, wh.cn closed today:

Semper Cara, bm., p., King Alfonso-La Sy.pade; Eda Tipton, \$900.

Wean.ing, cn. i., Hindoo-Balance; Charles Fielschmann, \$425.

Balance, cn. m. p., imp. Stratford-EquipoiseEd A. Tipton, \$500.

Weanling ch. c, by Fonson, dam La Belie; Charles Fielschmann, \$1,525.

La Belie, bm. p., Onondaga-Alieen; Clay & Woodford, \$1,500.

Weanling bik. c., by Kingston, dam Libert Stratford Stratfor

& Woodford, \$1,500.

Weaning bik. c., by Kingston, dam Libbie L; Charles F. Felschmann. \$2,800.

Libbie L, bm. 10, by Bramole-Ermangrade; A. F. Godding, \$1,900.

Jouiette, dam of L'Albuette, '97 Futurity winner, by Stonehenge, dam Jouietta, b, f.; Clyde, \$500.

Weaning, br. c., Bramble-Lady Waywad, haf-brother to Carlshad. Pat Dun. \$5.10. aif-brother to Carisbad; Pat Dunne, \$5,1,0. Lady Waywad, br. m., 15, by Virgil, dam ady Way; Clain & Woodford, \$900.

Lady Way; Clain & Woodford, \$900.
Caledonia, br. m. 7, by imp. oBurgomaster-imp. Fandango; Ed A. Tipton, \$1,500.
Weanling, ch. c., by Bramble out of Northana; Charles F.eischmann, \$2,100.
Weanling, ch. c., by Kingston, dam Arrow Grass; J. P. Davlin, \$1,000.
Arrow Grass; bm. 8, by Bramble-Sparrow Grass; A. S. Barbee, \$500.
Weanling, bc., by Bramble, dam Little Bess; Milton Young, \$500.
Weanling, br. c., by Kingston-Bayadere; A. P. Gooding, \$575.
Weanling, bc., by Bramble-Charity; John E. Madden, \$2,700.
Weanling, bf., by Bramble-Rallybo, J. B. bf., by Bramble-Ballyho; J. E. Weanling, bf. Madden. \$1,200

Weanling, bc. by Bramble-Perhaps; D. P. Darelin. \$550 P. Dardin. \$650
Bramble, bs., 22, by imp. Bonnie Scotland, dam Ivy Leaf; Clay & Woodford, \$3,700.
Cathay, ch. f. 1894, by Onondaga, dam aBilet; Ed. A. Tipton, \$1,000.
La Belie farm, the property of Eugene Leigh; consisting of 467 acres, was sold in two tracts, Milton Young buying ten acres at \$101 per acre, the remaining 396 acres per acre, the remaining 366 acres ought by H. P. Headley at \$78.50 per

OFFICERS TAKE THEIR PLACES

Justice Lewis and Commissioner Atkinson Are Sworn In.

CONDUCTED TO THEIR SEATS

Both of the New Officers Began Work as Soon as They Went Into Office.

Two departments of the state wereomed new officers yesterday morning. Hon. Hal T. Lewis took his seat on the bench of the supreme court and Indge Spencer R. Aikinson took his office in the railroad commission.

Hon, Hal Lewis was sworn into office by

Governor Atkinson yesterday morning a 2 o'clock. The formality was quickly gone through with and his commission soon made

out and signed.

The opening of the supreme court was delayed a few minutes yesterlay norning waiting for Mr. Justice Lewis. When Le arrived he was formally introduced to the gentlemen of the bar by Chief Justice Simions, who said: "Gentlemen of the ber. allow me to present to you our new esso-ciate, Mr. Justice Lewis." Mr. Lewis bowed to the gentlemen of the bar and they bow-ed in return, and court proceeded. Judge Spencer R. Atkinson took the (ath

of office at the same time it was delivered o Justice Lewis and he at once went to he office of the railroad commission. He was received by Chairman Trammell. Commissioner Crenshaw and ex-Commis-sioner Fort. Judge Fort retired yes:endey and Judge Atkinson began the duties of the

The taking of offices by these two paste men was done very quietly and northing beyond the mere formality was gone through with. Both them began work as goon as they had been received in their offices.

SEABOARD STRIKE AGAIN. Amount of Free Baggage Allowed Is Now Double.

Norfolk, Va., December 1 .- (Special.)-The Seaboard Air-Line has followed up its differential tariff which reduced through fares about one-third by another stroke of policy equally as bold.

The general passenger department today

issued a circular which will doubtless cause excitement in railway circles cause excitement in railway circles throughout the south. The circular read:
"On and after December 5, 1897, and until further notice the Seaboard Air-Line, in order to meet the action of its compett ors, will allow free 30 pounds of bagsage for each passenger holding full ticket and 150 pounds for each half-ticket between stations on its line."

This is deuble the amount of bagsage now carried free.

SCHAEFER DOWNS THE CANADIAN

Fourth Game of the Billiard Tournamen in New York.

SUTTON WAS AN EASY VICTIM

The Wizard Had No Trouble in Piling Up Points.

HE WAS FIFTY AHEAD AT THE FINISM

Daly Beat Slosson in the Fifth Game Daly Nursed the Balls to Great Advantage.

New York, December 1 .- "Wizard" Jacob New York, December 1.—"Wizard" Jacob Schaefer won the fourth game of the billiard tournament at the eighteen-inch balk in Madison Square Garden concert hall this morning from George Sutton, the young Canadian expert. Schaefer had more young Canadian expert. Schaefer had run out by the time Sutton had scored 452. The Wizard's" highest run was 51, while Suton placed his high mark at 38, making nore than 30, however, on several occasions Following is the score by innings:

Sutton-1, 2, 10, 32, 1, 1, 1, 6, 32, 17, 20, 6, 0, 2, 0, 2, 13, 1, 9, 3, 12, 21, 3, 8, 20. 6, 0, 2, 0, 2, 13, 1, 9, 3, 12, 21, 3, 8, 4, 0, 0, 14, 0, 0, 14, 11, 6, 0, 4, 5, 13, 0, 5, 3, 6, 35, 8, 3, 5, 0, 0, 0, 0, 8, 0, 0, 35, 8, 3-452, verages—Schaefer 7 52-64; Sutton 7 11-63, lighest runs—Schaefer 51, Sutton 38.

Averages—Schaefer 7 52-64; Sutton 7 Highest runs—Schaefer 51, Sutton 38. Time, 3 hours 26 minutes.

George F. Slosson and Maurice Daly we he players in the championship game—the ifth of the series at Madison Square Garden concert hall—tonight. Daly having won the bank, chose the black ball. He went right into good billiards and had run up to 32 points when he missed a plain shot to cushion and back. Slosson was a little agitated during Daly's nursing. When it ame his turn he scored but 2 and Dal ollowed with a run of 26. Slosson finally reached the double figures by a count of 24 buttons. Daly drew applause ixth inning by a very neat shot. He was making double figures in every other inning and once in a while he got the nurse in the line, though he would not keep the ball here. It was not until the fifteenth inning sed the 100 mark, which that Slosson passed the 100 mark, was reached by Daly in the eighth i The players kept neck and neck, and at the end of the twenty-fourth inning the record stood: Daly 266, Slosson 262.

From the twenty-eighth to the thirtyeventh inning Daly made but 10 points and t the end of the twenty-eighth he was 68 behind. Daly later made a couple of 25 and 11 while Slosson was idle. But the "student" got down to business, and with a run of 47 got into the last century. It was midnight when Slosson made the point necessary to win. Total score: Slosson 500 Daly 437 Slosson's average, 8 13-14; Daly's average,

WALSH WINS THE **MAYORALTY FIGHT**

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upon them to wante He gave them to the crowd at the courthouse and called inderstand that it was in direct violation of the agreement.

"It's after 12 o'clock," hooted the crowd 'and we didn't agree to keep out of here after midnight " But the sheriff was imperative and influ

ential spirits counseled capitulation. Thus the crowd marched out from the courthouse and camped on the lawn. Blazing fires were built and about these the coons gathered to carry on their cray games. Here they remained until the opening of the polls and it was 11 o'clock in the day before the Kerr negroes could get in

This action was denounced by the advocates of Mr. Kerr and in a Herald "extra." Peaceful Elsewhere.

At the other polls there was peace. No excitement beyond that usually witnessed about election places was seen. Out in the fifth ward, which is in the factory district the Walsh men had taken contro at an early hour. It was thought that Dunbar would go way in the lead, as in Harrisburg, as the settlement is known, is an active order of the A. P. A's., and they were putting in solid votes for Dunbar This section of Augusta was notably quiet during the whole day, until noon when the factory operatives were dismiss ed for dinner. They were quickly formed in line and marched to the polls, where they rushed in a good number of Dunba votes

The absence of the negroes was notable in this ward, only 170 having registered there. At one time thirty Walsh negroe were brought up and voted in a bunch For the greater part, however, this pre cinct was very quiet.

Sandy Cohen and His Troopers. It was down in the first ward where the great suprise of the day came. Here it was thought that Dunbar would go in with a sweeping vote, and his majority was conceded in all directions. It was thought, however, that Dan Kerr would plle up the colored votes, but the truth to

tell, Sandy Cohen was on deck, and it is a proverb about Augusta that when Sandy Cohen gets on deck something is going to drop. And something did drop here, for when daylight came it found Sandy Cohen in mmand of a force of 350 negroes, well organized and formed into a phalanx as unbroken as Caesar's Roman ranks. They could be mobilized at a moment's notice but they waited patiently in line for four hours, and when the signal was given that the polls were open, Sandy gave the com-

mand "Forward," and forth went the ne-

ceiving the sum of \$2 for his trouble.

Mr. Glascock Barrett, with a well-equipped force of Kerr men, was in the rear, and no effort of his could penetrate the lines of the out. Mr. Barrett lived near the polling place and from his ancestral acres came the aroma of barbecue, which had been cooking all night, but the 'cue was in The polls had been captured and vain. Sandy Cohen was waving his banner aloft,

Many of the Kerr men, timid and tired at the thought of being closed out in such a summary way, came over to the enemy,

was spent by the Walsh people. I could tell of a white man who was given \$5 be-Poor and fore a large crowd to change to Walsh. Catarh and Bronchial Trouble Had no Appetite-Now Better Every Way-A Delicate Child.

There was Kerr money on hand also. It was greatly in evidence and the managers vere bidding furiously against each other. In the third ward the Walsh people had control. They had been in possession of the place all night and when the polls opened they crowded in Candidates on the Field.

All the candidates were on the field at an early hour. At 8:30 o'clock Mr. Dumbar was at the fourth ward polls. This, in fact, appeared to be the strategetic point "I am confident," said Mr. Dunbar soon after 10 o'clock. "I believe I will win where I did not count bn getting any votes among the negroes"

There was a good host of friends abou Mr. Dunbar, men who were fighting against the corrupt methods in practice all about.

Mr. Dunbar was smiling and did no seem discouraged at the swarm of Walsh supporters who were crowding in at the negro end of the polls. Mr. Kerr was viewing the scene with

stoical serenity. He stood just across from the boxes, with his arms folded, fook ing on almost indifferently at the seething "I feel perfectly sure that I will win

out," he said. "I have not the least doubt."

It was soon after this that Mr. Walsh drove up. He had been at his home during the greater part of the morning. His coming was the signal for a spontaneous outburst from the crowd, and above the hoarse yells of the negroes rang out the shrill cries of a number of small boys, who were perched up on a house top near at hand.

Already the election seemed to be going everywhere in Mr. Walsh's favor. "I have never had any fear," he said. "It appears to me that my friends are standing by me."

Mr. Walsh wore a benign smile and passed on to the next polling place. Money To Burn by the Barrel. There was a barrel of money at each of

the precincts and both Walsh and Kerr leaders were spending it recklessly. The Kerr men had their "bank" not one nundred yards away from the polling booth of the fourth ward. Here it was that the negro voter had his time card cashed in. Within the inclosure just in front of the boxes three men were allowed to stand, one representing each candidate. The negro voting for Kerr, in addition to his ticket, had been supplied with a card upon which was stamped "Good for one day's work," or two days' work. in proport.on to the value of the vote. One day's work represented \$1. When he had voted and the representative at the boxes saw that he had voted the proper way a check was handed out showing that he was all right. With this check and nis card in hand he crossed the street and paid a visit to the "bank." At times there were as many negroes about the "bank" as were at the polls.

The Walsh men paid up as soon as ticket was voted. At the alley exit for the ngeroes a Walsh leader stood, with his hand in his pocket, and when the representative on the inside yelled "O. K." as the negro voter passed out, he was given his money.

The most flagrant corruption was car ried on at the courthouse, just beneath the statute of Justice. Here a Kerr man and an ardent Walsh supporter were bidding against each other for votes. They waved the money in the face of

the negroes and the profligate flash of bills seemed fairly to dazzle the darkies Scarcely any money was spent by the Dunbar men. It was realized by the supporters of the other two men that it was a question as to who could spend the most money among the negroes, and they let their coins loose in a reckless way. Most of the negroes were voted early with the hope that the election would be very close and they could sell their votes at a high premium. These, however, were mistaken. After 12 o'clock it was seer which way the great majority would go, and there was no demand for these scat-

tering votes. City Officials Work.

It was no secret today that the city officials took a hand, and an open hand, n the election. The official wagons of the fire chief and the chief of police wer dashing about from various polling stations and were doing active work. These were all strongly in sympathy wi

Kerr. Mayor Young, the sheriff and all the city officials were fighting vigorously for Mr. Kerr.

It was soon seen by them, however that there was a landslide in the direction of Walsh and by noon there was a con spicuous letting up. There was no doubt as to the standing of these city officials They are gloomy under defeat. The Kerr forces are wrapt in cimmerion gloom tonight, but victory is perching on the summit of The Chronicle office and is blasting

ANTIS CARRY MILLEDGEVILLE. The Old Capital Will Not Give Up Its

Liquor. Milledgeville, Ga., December 1.—(Special The city election here today resulted in a The city election here today resulted in an overwhelming victory for the anti-probibitionists. The real issue was whether the license for the sale of liquor should be \$1,000 or \$500. Captain C. W. Ennie was the inee for mayor of the \$1,000 faction, and Julius A. Horne of the other side. Mr Horne and his entire aldermanic ticke was elected, Horne's majority being 129

McCORMICK KNOWN HERE. The Prodigal Youth Was a Student in

the Atlanta Dental College. John McCormick, the young dental stu-dent whose home is in Meridian, Miss., and who has mysteriously disappeared, is well known in Atlanta, having many friends

here.

He was a student in the Atlanta Dental college last year and made a good record in his classes. He was an unusually handsome young man, with dark eyes and dark mustache, and was exceedingly popular with the ladies. Nothing wrong was noticed in his demeanor, as he always appeared bright and cheerful and full of mischief.

McCormick's strange disappredictions. McCormick's strange disappearance, how

McCormick's strange disappearance, however, is altogether mysterious. When last heard from he was in Wheeling, W. Va., selling books last July. His parents had not heard from mm then in some time, and have heard nothing since. His father, a prominent editor and effizen, of Meridian, is now in Chicago hunting for his wayward youth, and will spend his entire fortune if necessary in his efforts to find him.

McCormick's former schoolmates here cannot account for his disappearance. None of them seem to have heard from him, and the faculty of the college knows nothing of his whereabough.

They say McCormick was a good student, was generally regarded as an upright young man, and gave no intimation that

"Some time since I took a sudden cold and could not get rid of it. Being subject contains and pronchial trouble I coughed terribly. I lost my appetite and grew poor and weak and I did not feel like

work, I began taking Hood's far rilla. In a short time the cough disap peared, I slept well, had a good appelle and I was better in every way. In spring I was not feeling well, I had no sp-petite and no strength. I resorted to Hood's Sarsaparilla and soon felt mon like work. My little nephew was a delcate child and had a humor which tron cate child and rau a bled him so he could not rest at night bled him so he could not rest at night saparilla and now he has a good appeting and is able to sleep." Mrss Arsn 1.

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he intended to run away, if such is the

solution to the mystery.

Located in Wheeling. Wheeling, W. Va., December 1 .- John W Cormick, Jr., of Meridian, Miss., a hyber salesman and son of a Meridian newspo publisher, who has been missing since to July, has been located in this city, says he will remain here until his ta arrives. The father, according to the A sociated Press dispatch from St. Louis to day, was looking for his son in St. L and Chicago.

LEAP FROM TRAIN TO LIBERTY

Convict Armstrong Escapes from Detective George Steint.

FLED WEARING THE HANDCUFN When the Train Neared Chattanoogs

Armstrong Sprang Through the

Door and Escaped. Robert Armstrong, the noted negro butglar and convict, made his escape aight before last thirteen miles from Chattanoe ga while in the custody of Detective 6 Steint. It was a bold break for liberty that the negro made, and despite every effort of the detective, he succeeded in disappearing through the darkness.

Steint made a desperate effort to ap-ture his escaping prisoner and fired several shots at him, but it is not thought the any of the shots were effective. After n alizing there was no chance to re-captur Armstrong, Steint went on to Chattaneou and boarded the next train for this dy.

He arrived here yesterday morning and
at once reported the matter and it was put
on record. The authorities feel very much
disappointed that the negro did not put
back to the convict camp from which he and an effort will be made to h

capture him.

Armstrong is one of the most noted criminals in the state. He has been convicted many times and has served several terms in the county chaingangs. He is variably carries a pistol and has no tancy in using it on the arresting officer. After his last offense he was con and given a term of twenty years is the penitentiary. This crime was a burglar and the case against him was a burglar and the case agai one. He was sent to the Dade coal m and served there until about one most ago, when he escaped. He was not heat of again until he was located in Atlan

Some days ago.

Detectives Steint, Looney and Connected the man and confined him in the police barracks, Steint agreed to take him to the Dade coal mines and started of with his prisoner Tuesday afternoon. All went well until the train slowed up at a station about thirteen miles this side

Chattanooga.

The negro then said he wanted a dri of water, and Steint went with him water cooler, keeping hold of the roy which was fastened to the handcuffs of the prisoner. Just as he reached the Armstrong made a bound for the door and quickly opening it, jumped from the about moving train, leaving Steint holding the

moving train, leaving Steint holding trope. It appears that the negro had worked diligently at the knot in this rope und he had untied it, and then waited for a opportunity to escape.

After seeing Armstrong leave the car Steint rushed after him and could faintly see his moving figure through the darkmen. The negro was running away as fast as legs could carry him. Steint fired several shots at Armstrong, but if the negro hit he made no outery nor did he halt.

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Armstrong was sent up for burglary fragaly and half and he hal very nice appearance, despite his crimes. There is a reward of 130 for The negro escaped wearing a pair of him

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tables druggists retund money if fails to cure. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each packs

Bridge Committee Reports, Decatur, Ala., December 1.—(Spacial The committee of business men had in charge the location of a site for proposed steel bridge across the Tassee river has completed its wurkengineer of the Grotem Bridge Compass wired that he will be here next day to begin the work of survey for and approaches.

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Supplies Obtained.

Havana, via Key West, I.a., December 1, artillery destroyed several block houses. killing the military commander and one fifty soldiers killed and wounded, surren-

curing rich booty, two months' supplies, a good quantity of ammunition and two hundred rifles. The Spanish have sent reenforcements to retake the town

It is persistently rumored that an insurgent leader, Cuervo, who started for the insurgent ranks to induce the followers of General Arguren to surrender, has not returned, and it is believed he has been assassinated

leader. Pitirre, of Guines, Havana province. and Leader Pancho Perez, of Sancti Spiritus, had wr'tten to the autonomist party to accept autonomy, they have not done so in spite of the fact that ten days have gone by

went into the Ruby hills and with which Senor Caneleias went for information as to the condition of the country, had a hot fight and destroyed five hundred huts of the insurgents. Both sides suffered considerable loss.

A number of commissioners, who were sent out by the Spanish authorities to confer with the insurgents, has not return-

It is feared they have been killed.

SPAIN'S GENTLE SOLICITUDE

towns which are likewise infested.

The local authorities take no steps what ever to check the mortality. The streets of the city are thronged with famine stricken, wretched beings, who succumb to disease under perhaps some lonely portico and some times fall dead in the gutter, where they remain until God only knows

limbs of the dead, which are afterwards devoured by vultures hogs and dogs

the following day.

Marquies de Apezteguia in Havana. The Marquis de Apezteguia, leader of the Spanish conservative party, arrived here today and had a long interview with Captoday and had a long interview with Captain General Blanco. He says that the conservative party ought to stand by the government in furthering the work of pacification, but he has not made any public declaration in favor of autonomy. The position he takes is the same as that of the central conservative committee, which recognizes the necessity of pacifying the island, but does not believe that autonomy is the Dest way to bringing that result about.

General Bernal and Senor Canelajas, editor of El Heraldo, of Madrid, who has been with the Spanish column in the province of Pinar del Rio, returned to the city today. Captain General Blanco has songratulated General Bernal on the outforme of the military operations in that province.

MEN RESTORED.

Remarkable Remedy That Makes a Man Young Again.

Man Young Again.

Thousands of men are today paying the penaity of earlier inattention to their strength. They have gone for years gradually burning out the fire of natural vigor when suddenly they break down. They look fairly well; there is not much outward evidence of decay, but the mind knows all about it. It is a peculiar form of weakness; produces a certain sensitiveness that completely upsets a man and makes him feel that life has lost a goodly part of its brightness. There is a simple home treatment put up by a well-known institution of Kalamazoo, Mich., that imparts a wonderful degree of strength to men who are sexually weak. It is a very powerful tonic that makes the nerves fairly tingle with enthusiasm. And to men who are prematurely old, apparently worn out and gone to seed the remedy gives that comfortable feeling imparted by a cheerful grate fire when we first come in of a cold, stormy light. By writing to the Michigan Medical Co., Si Masonic Temple, Kalamazoo, Mich., they will send you full particulars regarding this remarkable tonic and strengtherer, and also explain how it is to be used, what it will do and all other information necessary to a ccmplete, rapid and certain restoration, enlargement and return of manly vigor. It is a home treatment, embodies all the practical results required for either a young or old man, and is just such a curative as thousard sof men are looking anxiously for. All correspondence is confidential and their envelopes are perfectly plain, carefully sealed and mailed under first-class postage. No man need hesitate to write to the Michigan Medical Co., as they are regularly increporated by the state, have been in business many years, are well rated by the commercial agencies and have first-class bank references.

WOULD COST OVER THREE MILLIONS

Makes Its Report.

GARRISON THEN GIVES UP STATES MANY DIFFICULTIES ALL TRAFFIC IS SUSPENDED

Stores Are Sacked and Two Months' Members Have Met in Making Esti-Troops Fire Upon a Mob and Several mate of Cost of Plant. Rioters Killed.

FAMURE OF COMMISSIONERS TO RETURN SUBMIT A LIST OF PLACES FOR SITE

retary Long Will Advertise for Bids for Erection of Works and Submit to Congress.

to Secretary Long today. The report makes a voluminous document, treating every detail of the process of armor-making to a correct apprehension of the also accompanied by elaborate plans for the plant which have been verified by Ex-pert Fritz. The cost of a plant suitable for the making of naval armor at the rate of about 6,000 tons per annum, which is of about 6,000 tons per annum, which is fully equal to the capacity of both of the existing private plants, is set down as about \$3,750,000. No recommendation is made as to the location of the plant, but the board has accumulated much informa-tion as to the merits of various eligible focations which may be had by congress if

building such a plant as designed for the use of the government. It was at first the intention of the secretary to withhold the report from congress until he should be able to include this information in it, but he has now determined to send the report as soon as congress assembles, and mean-while put out the advertisements and rotify congress of their results later. It is excongress or their results later. It is ex-pected that congress would be advised also of the offers made by both existing armor-making concerns to sell out to the govern-ment, and also of other large interests to ment, and also of other large interests to turn over plants which, while not at all like the specifications of the board, will permit of alteration into effective plants. All of this data, it is expected, will be very luable to congress in treating the whole armor question, but the report of the board, which may be strengthened by an indorsement from Secretary Long, will make it quite evident that the government

appropriation bill. The armor factory board consists of Com-modore Howell, Captain McCorm.ck, Civil Engineer Endicott, Chief Engineer Parry and Lieutenant Fletcher. Summing up the practicability, necessities, advantages and disadvantages of the proposed factory, it

"In accordance with your views that congress would wish from the board a statement in the rough of the practicability of putting up an armor plant, we respectfully submit the following considerations: "I. An armor factory comprises essen-tially a collection of special furnaces, heavy machine tools and appliances that are not accepted in any other class of work and a class of labor specially skilled in the busi-

class of labor specially skilled in the business.

"2. A government armor factory, not connected with an establishment engaged in other branches of the ateel industry, would depend for its success and economic administration upon a constant demand for an output nearly approaching its full capacity.

"3. If the government should establish an armor factory the sufficient and economic maintenance of the working of that factory would necessarily depend upon a constant yearly appropriation for ships to be provided with armor, because the armor produced at any time must be specially designed for and fitted to those ships. Any failure to appropriate for those ships in any one year would require a cessation of work and a laying off, indefinitely, of the skilled experts and laborers that had been trained to this industry. A resumption of work at a later period would require the training, at a considerable experies of a rewest of man. In the mean

Then follow estimates for the cost, exclusive of the land, of a plant capable of making and furnishing ready for the installment on board ship of 6,000 tons per year, of nickel steel, face-hardened, re-

knowledge of the local conditions of the site that may be selected, and make a total of \$3,247,912.

ment armor plate factory include a plant for the production of open hearth steel

As to the Site.

On the subject of sites the board says:
"The board in its instructions, was not charged with the selection of a site or location for the armor factory. It, however, appends to this report a list of places recommended to the board as sites and showing also the names of the persons so recommending them."

A proving ground for testing armor plates is recommended at or near the site of the proposed armor factory of sufficient capacity to permit of the necessary tests, both for final acceptance and for experimental work.

appendixes. There are thirty-eight drawings besides the specifications, details of estimates, list of places to recommend for sites, for of proposals, bes.des much other

matter.

The board says it will be impossible to furnish copies of all these matters to applicants and intending bidders will find it washington if they imperative to come to Washington if they would make intelligent bids.

LOOKS BAD FOR NEW MINISTRY.

Vlenna. December 1-The communa council has passed a resolution thanking Emperor Francis Joseph for summoning the ministry and expressing hopes that the present cabinet will repeal the language ordinance, making the Czech language co-ordinate with the German; thanking the obstructionists, urging them to persevere and if necessary to resort to

extreme measures. The prospects for the new ministry are ominous. The assignments of portfolios has been received on all sides with fr.g.d reserve, and although the dismissal of Count Badeni has allayed the spirit of rebil ion in Vienna and the German towns, anarchy has broken out in Slav and Czechish towns

It looks as though Baron Gautsch would have as great difficulties to face in the dehave as great dimculties to face in the de-mands of the Czechs and socialists as Count Badeni had. Seeing the success that mob influence has had in Vienna in bringing about the downfall of Count Badeni. the Czechs are trying by the same influence to bring pressure to bear upon the

HAYTIENS OBJECT ON THE INCREASE TO FOURTH DEMAND

Their Artillery Destroys the Spanish Government Armor Plate Plant Board Czechs Smash the Windows of Many They Are Willing To Comply with Rest Petitioners Before Judge Emery Speer of Germany's Conditions.

WILL NOT BE HUMILIATED

Therefore the Clause Requiring President To Meet Charge D'Affaires.

Police Are Fired Upon by the Mob. Germans Have Modified Order and Palace Is Visited and Rocks Will Not Send Warship to Fright-Smash Through Windows, en the Natives.

Washington, December 1.-The exact na-Prague, Bohemia, December 1.-There were fresh disturbances here today. The ture of Germany's demands on Hayti behouses of Germans were bombarded with came known for the first time today. The stones, and a howling mob, which gathered on Wenzelsplatz, had to be dispersed by infantry and cavalry. The university buildings are threatened

by the rioters and have to be protected by large bodies of police. Troops have been drafted to Judenstadt,

German Houses.

GERMAN NATIONAL SCHOOL WAS ATTACKED

wing to the mob threatening to run riot During the afternoon the riots increased. The synagogue windows were smashed, as were also the windows of the houses of

Jews displaying German trade signs in several streets of the Jewish quarter. Since 6 o'clock this evening the screets have been held by twelve battalions of infantry and a squadron of hussars. All traffic is suspended and the shops and

Burned German Furniture. In spite of the military a large Czech mob made a descent during the evening upon the German quarter and plundered

houses and shops in several streets. The furniture of a well known German cafe was piled up in the street and set on fire. When a detachment of troops approached to disperse the rioters the soldiers were greeted with showers of stones, broken glass and other missiles. The officer in command ordered his troops to prepare to fire, but at the urgent request of a police official the order was not carried into effect.

Shortly after 9 o'clock a mob attempted to storm a cartridge factory at Zizhkow, a suburb of Prague. The troops stationed at the factory poured a volley into th crowd. It is known that at least two persons were killed outright, and it is feared others were killed or wounded The same body of rioters set fire to a house at Zizhkow, but the flames were soon quelled.

Plundering and Bloodshed. At Smychow, the southwest suburb of Frague, a thickly populated industrial quarter, at a late hour in the evening, a lotous mob attacked and plundered the German national school.

The rioters fired shots at a police detachnent, whereupon the commanding officer, acting with great promptitude, drew his revolver and fired at one of the ringleaders, the bullet piercing his arm. He then arrested the man. The result of this energetic action was the dispersal of the mob without much further difficulty. The German gymnasium in the Alstaedt-

er-Ring, in the center of the city, was plundered by a mob, which was finally dispersed by a combined charge of soldiers and police.

gatherings in Pilzen yesterday, the houses of German residents are specially guarded by the police. Today three thousand people gathered in front of the town hall, and, after singing national songs, proceeded to the German gymnasium, where they broke the windows. The police dispersed the crowd, wounding one.

The rioters then returned to the town hall, where, failing to obtain the liberation of some of the ringleaders who had been ar rested, they broke the windows of the own hall and of several buildings adjacent.

Czech Jubilations Continue. Already resenting the German subilations and illuminations of clubs and beer halls over the fall of Count Badeni, the Czech population was still further incited by the speech of the Czech burgomaster delivered Monday night to the town council.

Two special sufferers from the riots are Baron von Achrenthal, a representative of the German landowners in the reichsrath, and Count von Salm. Baron von Aehrenthal's palace is on the Wenzelsplatz. The mob smashed the windows and tore out the window frames on the ground floor last night. Similar outrages were committed at Count von Salm's palace, which is the editorial office of the German paper,

During the night the Aehrenthal palace was boarded up, but the rioters removed the planks and threw large stones into the luxuriantly furnished rooms, smashing valuable objects or art and costly furniture. Damage to the amount of many thousands of florins has been done to German firms, clubs or other institutions having German proprietors or patrons. No performance was given at the German theater tonight. The constant cry of the rioters

"Down with the Germans!" "Down with the Jews." Ladies venturing on the streets were obliged to wear the Slav tricolor in order to avoid being attacked. German signboards are being hastily removed by their owners and replaced with Czech inscriptions. Nobody dares to utter a word in German. The Khinsky palace was plundered of its

furniture, which was thrown through the windows, heaped in the street and set on fire, the mob preventing the fire brigad from approaching. The Wenzelsplatz, where the revolution

of 1848 began, has been the chief center of excitement. It is about sixty yards in width and 750 yards in length and will hold a hundred thousand people.

The police and the military have made 200 arrests, and it is reported tonight that altogether eighty persons have been in-

RE-ELECTED TO PRESIDE AGAIN.

Baron von Boul-Berenberg Again President of German House. Berlin, December 1.—The reichstag today re-elected Baron von Boul-Berenberg to the presidency of the senate.

The next sitting of the reichstag will take place on Friday.

Afraid of Fever No Longer. Decatur, Ala., December 1.—(Special.)— The state convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, which was postponed on account of the epidemic, has served notice that the meeting will be held at New Decatur in the latter part of this month. The session will last one woek.

THEY ALLEGED

Ask for a Receiver.

WHAT PETITION SETS FORTH

That Affairs of Progress Loan and Improvement Co. Were Loose.

BECAUSE MAN MADE HIMSELF BENOXIGUS THAT MINORITY MEN WERE BADLY TREATED Company Had Never Paid Dividend

Until Last July and Did This To

a receiver that the officers failed to enforce

the collection of certain loans, and by this kind of management caused the value

of the stock to decrease. No dividends were ever paid until last July when, it is

claimed, the management decided to pay a dividend of 2 per cent to quiet dissenting stockholders. It is further charged in the

petition that the officers have bought out certain members for the purpose of hush-

ing the opposition, and that in buying them out prices were paid that were far in ad-

vance of the value of the stock at the time of the purchase, while others of the mi-

nority stockholders have been forced to

sell their stock at a sacrifice.

Seeing that there would be a general up-

rising of discontent among the minority

stockholders, the petition recites the offi-cers deliberately caused a resolution to be

passed last July at a meeting over which

they had control, outlining a plan for wind-

ing up the company's business for the rea-son that it could not fulfill the stipulations

of its charter. Among those who were bought out by the majority stockholders for the purpose of "hushing" matters, the

name of Mr. Henry Horne, formerly pres-

ident of the company, is given in the peti-tion. It is claimed that he was dissatis-fied with the management of the company's

interests and was paid a good price for his stock, when the value of the stock was

After setting forth these claims and charges the petitioners ask that the court

appoint a temporary receiver to take

The court is further asked to require the

officers to bring before the court all of the

company's books for inspection and that a full accounting be had with the plaintiffs

and such other stockholders as may join

with them in bringing matters to a prompt

Judge Speer issued an order appointing Mr. Merril P. Callaway femporary receiver.

Macon Rejoices at Walsh's Election.

the election of Hon. Pat Walsh as mayo

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been sent to him tonight.

Quiet Certain Stockholders. Constitution Bureau, Brown House, Macon, Ga., December 1.-A temporary re-ceiver was appointed today by Judge Emory Speer to take charge of the affairs of the Progress Loan, Improvement and

details came by way of the steamer from Port-au-Prince, which arrived at New York Manufacturing Company.

The petition for a receiver was filed by Messrs. Marion Erwin and Joseph Fr.ed, resterday, and show the demands to be as 1. An indemnity of \$20,000 American dol-lars for Emil Lueders.
2. The promise that Mr. Lueders may re-turn to Hayti, and there sojourn without danger of any kind.
3. A letter to my government in which you will express apology for the proceed-ings toward the German government in the whole transaction. attorneys for Silas H. Jenkins and other New York stockholders. It is claimed in the petition that some unfair methods have been indulged in by Messrs. Thomas C. Burke, president, and William M. Gordon, secretary of the company one of the

whole transaction.

4. That the president of Hayti shall gra-clously receive the German charge d'af-faires at Port-au-Prince. It was also announced that if indemnity

was not given a warship would be sent or diplomatic relations be broken. Without answering the demands in detail, Havti asked if Germany, by presenting this demand, intended to close the negotiations in the Lueders case and also on what

ground an apology was asked. The money demand was regarded by Hayti as far less important that the other three, which were considered as affecting Hayti's honor. The demand that the president receive Count Schwerin graciously was looked upon as involving a deep humiliation, as it was this official who had gone before the president and rudely submitted his demands. It was this fourth demand which led Hayti to prepare for one

Since the foregoing correspondence closed it has become apparent, according to cable

AN ATTEMPT TO KILL CUESTAS. Bystandars Save the Life of Uruguay's Pro Tem. President.

was made there yesterday (Wednesday) stab Senor Jose Cuestas, president ad interim of Uruguay.

It was unsuccessful, the bystanders warding off the would-be assassin. The man was formerly a member of the Montevideo police force. News of the outrage spread rapidly and caused great excitement, but the city is under martia law and there has been no outbreak.

JUDGE DAY WILL SOON RETIRE. Will Return to Ohio and Resume the Practice of Law.

Chicago, December 1 .- A special to The Times-Herald from Washington says: "Judge Day, now assistant secretary of state, will soon retire from public life to resume the practice of law at Canton, O. "This statement is made on authority."

BANK PRESIDENT ACCUSED. eiver Alleges

New Orleans, December 1.—F. L. Richards, receiver of the American National bank, today filed suit in the United States court against Henry Gardes, former president of the bank, for \$\times_04000\$, which the receiver alleges in his petition was drawn from the bank by said Gardés on demand notes, from sums ranging from \$5,00 to \$20,000, signed by bankrupt and irresponsi-

Constantinople, December 1.—According to advices from Turkish sources, the revolt of the Albians against Turkish rule at Diakova, northeast of Scrutari, has been suppressed, and Riga Bey, the leader of the insurgents, has been arrested. The foregoing is at variance with the report on the same subject which was cabled from Vienna last night, which was to the effect that the insurrection is increasing in

DR. HOBBS HAS RETURNED. Went to India To Aid in the Relief of

ing the starving people of India, returned today after an absence of nearly six

Dr. Hobbs sailed for India on June 12th from San Francisco on the City of Everett, chartered by the United States government. The ship carried 7,500 tons of corn and many other supplies to be distributed in the famine-stricken districts.

the plague and of the dreadful sufferings of the people in India from starvation. The work of distribution of the supplies was done entirely by American missionaries and in an impartial manner.

Avenue, Washington, D. C., and the usual physician's treatment did him not the slightest good. His condition reached that deplorable stage which only this terrible discuss can produce ease can produce.

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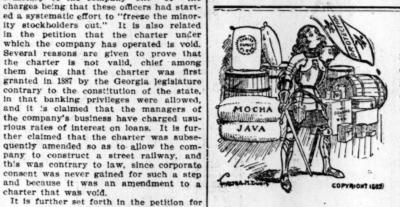
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Receiver's Sale of Ruby Brick Co.'s Yard, Etc.

Yard, Etc.

By order of Hon. J. H. Lumpkin, judge superior court, Atlanta circuit. The assets of the Ruby Br.ck Company's plant, located at Altoona creek bridge, on Western and Atlantic railroad, known as Ruby station, in Bartow county, Georgia, consisting of ninety-three acres, more or less, of which it is estimated there is about fifty acres of fine brick and terra cotta clay, from which can be made the finest ornamental and building brick ever made in Georgia, or the hardest, toughest and most durable vitrified paving brick. Altoona creek runs through the land and annually from overflows deposits a large amount of the finest brick material, accumulating from a watershed that is free from material that causes brick to stain or bleach when put in the building. This land has a long frontage on the Western and Atlantic railroad, improvements consisting of one forty (40) horse power engine and sixty (60) horse power boiler, shafting, pulleys, belting, etc., one Sword brick machine, one Miller repress machine, iron rail tramway car and drum for hauling clay to the machine with power from engine; also siphon from creek to supply water to boiler, brick machine, etc; also shed over machinery and several small houses for operatives, and such wheelbarrows, tools, lumber, etc., as there is on the land belonging to the said Ruby Brick Company. Sale to take place at the Fulton county courthouse on the first Tuesday in December, 1887. Terms of payment announced at sale.

N. W. McAFEE,

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NOTICE. Will be sold at police barracks, on Saturday, December 4, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon, one brindle cow and calf, also one red and white spotted ox; if not called for, ownership proven and expenses paid, according to terms of law.

W. P. MANLY, dec2-3t

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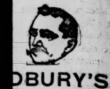
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Sprang Through the and Escaped. rong, the noted negro bur-ct, made his escape night teen miles from Chattanoo-custody of Detective George bold break for liberty that

and despite every effort of e succeeded in disappeardarkness.

a desperate effort to cape sprisoner and fired several but it is not thought that were effective. After reno chance to re-capture. went on to Chattanoor next train for this city, the matter and it was put authorities feel very much

at the negro did not go wict camp from which he effort will be made to reone of the most noted a state. He has been connes and has served several ounty chalingangs. He in a pistol and has no heart on the arresting officer, offense he was convicted. offense he was convicted m of twenty years in the is crime was a burglary against him was a bad nt to the Dade coal mines to until about one month scaped. He was not heard he was located in Atlanta

Steint agreed to take him al mines and started off r Tuesday afternoon all the train slowed up at a

int went with him to the eping hold of the rope ed to the handcuffs of the s he reached the cooler a bound for the door and t, jumped from the slowly that the negro had whe knot in this rope

story nor did he halt sent up for burglary from ght years ago. He is as negro, wearing a black-eing about five feet high height. He is of a bright dresses fairly well. He is der build, but presents a rance, despite his many a reward of 50 for his epartment will try again. epartment will try again wearing a pair of hand

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December 1.—(Special)
of business men having catton of a site for its didge across the Tennsompleted its work.

Grotem Bridge Compared will be here next work of survey for

GUISA VILLAGE

sassinated Spanish Officers Sent Out To Talk About Peace.

The insurgent generals, Rabi and Salvador Rios, besieged the village of Guisa, about fifteen miles from Bayamo. Their Heutenant. The garrison, after having lost

The insurgents plundered the stores, se-

Although it is reported that the insurgent

The column under General Bernal, which

Deplorable Sadness of Cuban Suffering Increases Constantly. Havana, via Key West, December 1. The deplorable condition of the country grows more and more apparent. Refugees and reconcentrados are becoming more and miserable. According to reports from Sin Domingo, smallpox is making terrible ravages among the reconcentrados. Since April last more than 4,000 have died in the

city alone, to say nothing of the suburban

Press at San Domingo says that the worst the local authorities. More than three hundred smallpox cases are known to exist, but no one is ever vaccinated. Medical aid is very scarce and the burial of these wretched beings is most brutally effected. Often as many as fifteen corpses are piled togther in a car and then dumped together in a hole, to be covered only with such lit-

tle earth that the first shower exposes tile A few days ago a cart en route for the cemetery broke down. The driver unhitched his horses and drove them away and the dead were left there abandoned until

True Manliness Replaces the Worn Out Nerves and Vigor.

RIOTING IN PRAGUE

Washington, December 1.—The naval board appointed by authority of congress to assertam the cest of an armor plant made its report through Commodore Howel of the plany and of the product. It is

Secretary Long will now proceed immediately to take the next step necessary to carry out the wish of congress, namely, invite proposals by advertisement for building such a plant as designed for the use of the government. It was at first the

cannot undertake to make its own armor at the cost named as the lim't of price to be paid to private firms in the last naval

tion of work at a later period would require the training, at a considerable expense, of a new set of men. In the meantime the progress of the art would perhaps have been such that difficult and radical changes would be required which, under continuous working, might have been gradually and easily made.

Then follow estimates for the cost, extended the large of a plant capable

forged armor.

These estimates are made without exact

The board recommends that the govern-As to the Site.

The report contains much in the way of

Gautsch Will Have Hard Time in Forming One.

The parliamentary situation is unchanged and hopeless. Baron Gautsch has con-ferred with the leaders of the majority and the leaders of the minority, but so far both parties appear irreconcilable.

dispatches from Berlin, that the suggestion as to the sending of warships has been modified and that there is no present purpose to send them.

London, December 1.-A dispatch to The Times from Montevideo says an attempt

charge of the property and the present officers be restrained from further disposi-

from Bank Illegally.

ALBIANS HAVE BEEN UNITED. Turks Have Suppressed the Revolt at Diakova.

the Starving. New York, December 1.-Rev. Dr. Richard Gear Hobbs, the commissioner sent ou from New York for the purpose of reliev-

Dr. Hobbs tells of the terrible ravage of

Of mankind—contagious blood poison—claimed as its victim Mr. Frank B. Martin, 926 Pennsylvania

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THE BIG REUNION

First Steps Looking Toward the Details

Were Taken Yesterday.

COMMITTEES ARE APPOINTED

Colonel W. A. Hemphill Unanimously

ATLANTA WILL EXTEND A ROYAL WELCOME

Various Committees That Have Been

Named To Go To Work in Earn-

est for the Convention.

One of the most important steps toward

preparing for the reunion of confederate

veterans was made yesterday at noor

when the Confederate Veterans' Reunion

The meeting of the executive committee

was called by President C. A. Evans and

great stress was laid upon its importance

In pursuance of the call a representative number of the committee was present yes-

The object of the meeting was to effect organization for the work of making the

necessary arrangements for the entertain-ment of the thousands of veterans who will

The meeting was called to order by Gen-eral Evans as president of the association, and he told of the importance of the ac-

tion about to be taken and of the great amount of work before the sub-commit-tees to be appointed. He said the execu-

tive committee should be a working board.

Great care had been taken in the selection of the members and only men who had an interest in the matter and who were

known as hard workers had been appointed. A great crowd of people would come to Atlanta on the day of the reunion, he said, and would take advantage of the

hospitable spirit Atlanta has always dis-played toward visitors. It would take a

great amount of work, time and money to

entertain these.

General Evans stated that one of the

most necessary portions of the work was the appointment of sub-committees so that the labors of the association could be carried on in a business like manner. He had made a list of the committees he thought necessary and furnished it to the meeting. The committees were as follows: Rulès finance, transportation, quarters.

Rulès, finance, transportation, quarters

commissary, decoration, halls, badges, music, publicity, military. General Evans then stepped down from

the chair. He was nominated as temporary

iraously chosen.

Colonel W. A. Hemphill then nominated
Captain J. W. English permanent chairman of the executive committee. Captain
English declined the nomination on the

ground that he was attending to some important business in connection with the Eagle and Phenix mills of Columbus and would be out of the city a great portion

Colonel Hemphill Elected Chairman.

of the time. He would serve in any

pour into Atlanta next summer.

the work before them.

terday morning.

Association met in the ballroom of the Kimball house and began organizing for

COL. W. D. CHIPLEY DIESIN WASHINGTON

Sketches of a Man Who Was Preminent in Three States.

BEGAN BUSINESS IN KENTUCKY

Served Bravely Through the War as a Confederate Soldier.

THEN WENT INTO BUSINESS IN GEORGIA

Florida Was Next the Scene of His Operations, Where He Grew Prominent in Politics

Columbus, Ga., December 1.-(Special.)-Colonel W. D. Chipley, whose death occur-red in Washington this morning, was born n Columbus in 1840, being a son of Dr Chipley, who came here from Kentucky.
When he was quite young his parents returned to Kentucky, going to Lexington Young Chipley was educated there, and when he grew up to be a man he moved to uisville, where he engaged in business When the war broke out Mr. Chipley, to-gether with many other prominent Kea-tuckians, came south. He was a member of the famous Kentucky brigade, which was one of the bravest bodies of troops in the confederate service. Colonel Chipley's war record was an honorable one. He filled

He Comes to Georgia.

After the war Colonel Chipley came to Co-umbus, where he went into business. He was a merchant, and he was highly succcssful. He was at one time chairman of the county democratic executive committee, and was quite prominent in local politics. When the renegade Ashburn was killed. Co.onel Chipley was one of the men arrest-ed, charged with being implicated in the k.ling. He was arraigned before the fam ous court martial at Atlanta. The federal officials singled out Colonel Chipley, determined to make an example of him, because of his prominence. He was really innocent of the charge. He was not con-nected with the Ashburn killing. The courr martial resulted in his acquittal. Ashburn was a white republican whose pol-tics and manners were quite obnoxious to the respectable people of the community. One night he was killed at his home.
Ccionel Chipley married Miss Billups,
who, with several children, now survives

him. He numbered his warm friends and admirers in Columbus by the score. His Removal to Florida. About twenty years ago Colonel Chipley removed to Florida, and has been a resident of that state ever since. Colone

Chipley was one of the originators of what is rew the Columbus and Rome railroad, extending from here to Greenville, Ga. He was the superintendent and general mana-ger of the road which, when it was built, was known as the North and South railroad. The town of Chipley, Ga., is named for him, as is also the town of Chipley, Fla., as well as the steamer W. D. Chip ley, which once plied the Chattahooche

LUCIAN KNIGHT ON GRADY. Fulton Club To Entertain the Legisla-

ture December 10th.

The Fulton Club, one of Atlanta's fore-most social organizations, is preparing to antertain the members of the legislature in an elaborate manner on the night of

December 10th.

The feature of the occasion will be the address of Mr. Lucian L. Knight, of The Constitution, on the life and works of Henry Grady. The Columbia theater has been engaged especially for the occasion and the event will be a notable one in work respect. respect.
Knight is recognized as being one

of the foremost orators of the south. He will give much thought and time to the eparation of his oration, which is certain be eloquent and forceful. No subject aid be better than the resume of the could be better than the resume of the same of the state of the man the entire country honors, viaduct. The city thought this amount too little and the scheme was abandoned for Immediately after the lecture the mem

bers of the legislature will repair to the rooms of the club, where an hour will be spent in social intercourse and a sumptuous repast will be served.

The entire public is invited to the lecture.

An audience of unusual brilliancy will undoubtedly be present to honor this young orator and the great Grady.

ANOTHER COLD WAVE TODAY. The Thermometer May Go to Freezing Again Tonight.

Another cold wave will strike Atlanta ome time today. The thermometer will be low early this morning, and tonight it will be uncomfortably cold. This wave, as usual, originated in the northwest, and is slowly moving in this direction. It will probably be cold for sev-

eral days and some rain is also expected.

The thermometer is low in the northwest and may go down to 30 tonignt and early tomorrow morning.

WATER BOARD MEETS.

Reports of Superintendent Woodward and Secretary Brown Submitted.

and Secretary Brown Submitted.
The board of water commissioners held
its regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon. The usual matters of routine were
acted upon and the regular reports of
Superintendent Woodward and Secretary
Brown were received.
The report of Superintendent Woodward
shows the progress of the work of the
mechanical department and that of Mr.
Brown shows the financial workings and
condition of the department. Both reports
are complete, and their reading was listened to with interest by the members of
the board.

my opinion of your case.



EGAN TO MEET CAMP'S COMMITTEE

Central's Vice President Talks About West Side Crossing.

MAY MAKE PROPOSAL TODAY

He Expects To Hear from the South ern Railway Directors.

COMMITTEE WILL ASK FOR DEFINITE ACTION

The Railroads Are Expected To Agree To Defray One-Half of Viaduct Expenses.

Mr. John M. Egan, vice president of the Central Railroad Company, will meet with the bridge committee of the general council today and discuss the question of pro viding an adequate means of crossing the railroad tracks to and from the west side. Mr. Egan is expected to make a proposition on the part of the Central and South ern railroads. The bridge committee will ask him to state what his road, co-operating with the Southern, will do toward pearing a part of the expense of building a viaduct over the tracks at Mitchell street or building a bridge to extend Alabama

Just what offer Mr. Egan will make is not known. The status of the entire matter is about as follows:

Several months ago the city and the Central and Southern railroads, through their representatives, discussed the advisability and feasibility of constructing a viagames and calidren have been given Scotduct at Mitchell street. After various conferences the Central and Southern sub-mitted a joint proposition to give the city \$25,000 in cash toward the expense of the that reason,

The Pending Proposition. The city, through the bridge committee

has recently suggested to the railroads the propriety of the roads bearing one-half the expense of the vladuct jointly, the city to pay the other half. Now Mr. Egan is expected to say if his coad and the Southern will accept this in "Ingomar" Saturday night. road and the Southern will accept this proposition, contingent upon its approval by the general council.

Will Mr. Egan's road and the Southern agree to the proposition? Mr. Egan is not saying yet what he will agree to do on the part of the Central and Southern. He says he is waiting to hear from the Southern people as to what that company will do in

the matter. He hopes to hear from the Southern this morning, or at least in time to arrange the matter before the meeting of the bridge committee. He says the Central is ready to act. His road has communicated with th tors of the Southern. Yesterday no furanswer had been received.

What Mr. Egan Says.

Mr. Egan says:
"The Central and Southern made a proposition to give the city \$25,000 toward building the Mitchell street viaduct. The city said that was not enough and now suggests that the roads give a larger amount. That is another question and one which has to be considered by the Central and Southern. As soon as a proper understanding can be reached the roads will notify the bridge committee what they will agree to do. I hope to be able to announce a definite proposition while in the city."

The roads will also be requested to submit propositions looking to the erection of

nesses resulting from Errors of Youth, such as Drains, Night Losses, Weak Back,

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a bridge over the tracks to extend Alabama street. And also to say on what terms the city can use the tracks for a grade crossing. The latter scheme will be rejected by the roal. Grade crossings are condemned by everybody, says the road.

anta stage.

While it is particularly attractive to the baldheads, it is also a show that will amuse the children greatly, and they should be taken to see it. There will be a matines tousy and another performance tonight.

flower matinee of the week will be given and every lady in the audence will be presented with a Japanese chrysanthemum,

the most beautiful flower grown.

"Bonemian Gir!" wat be sung and Miss Kirwin will sing that beautiful song, "I Dreamt I Dwert in Marble Halis," and Mr. Will T. Eilwanger will sing "A Heart Bowed Down." The chorus has been ex-ceedingly weil trained for this opera and it is admirably presented.

Tonight "Mascot" will be sung and new living pictures will be given. This opera has comedy and music enough for two ordinary operas, and while it is decidedly

the matinee a feature of the week and on tomorrow "Mascot" will be sung in the afternoon for the benefit of the Church of the Sacred Heart.

There was no escape. The fad for all tish names, and following upon this as naturany as the night follows the day, comes the announcement of Julia Marlowe's Scotch play, "For Bonnie Prince Charne," The story is said to be an engrossing one. Scotch music will figure in the production. Old Scotch songs will be sung, such as "Scots Wha Hae W?" Wailace Bled," "Charley Is My (Darling," "The Young Chevalier," and "The Campbells Are Coming." The overture and entr' acte selections will be medleys of Scottish national airs. "For Bonnie Prince Charlie" will be produced at the Grand by Julia Marlowe

This afternoon at 2:30 and also tonight at the Columbia theater the eminent lecturer, Captain J. A. Rider, will be heard

in an interesting review of General Lew Wallace's great work, "Ben-Hur." Captain Rkier comes to us highly in-dorsed by the leading colleges of the coun-try and a real treat is in store for those who come out to hear the lecture.

The matinee this afternoon is especially given for ladies and children and the prices have been reduced to 15 and 25 cents. The subject will be interestingly illustrated by 100 full size views projected on a screen by a 1,500 candle power calcium light. The personages, locations and incidents described in the famous novel will be re-produced on the canvas. The great charlot

race is said to be wonderfully true to The night prices will be 25 and 50 cents.

Lewis Morrison will appear at the Grand opera house next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and Wednesday matinee. He will, as usual, be seen in his elaborate scenics and electric production of "Faust." On Wednesday evening Mr. Morrison will present a play new to this city, "The Master

L. DeGive, Grand Opera House, Atlanta Ga.—Marlowe objects to two performances Saturday on account of the great strain. Please cancel matinee, Announce "Prince Charlie" Friday night and "Ingomar" Sat BRUCE EDWARDS.

The rural comedy drama, "Joshua Simpkins," will be produced at the Columbia Friday and Saturday. The play contains an interesting and intelligible plot, but it is not allowed to interfere with the fun, which is said to be in abundance. During the run of the play some startling scenes and situations are seen—the country saw mill, in the third act, shown in complete operation cutting up real timber.

WINTER FOR PRESIDENT.

S. H. H. Clark Has Declined To Accept on Account of His Health.

St. Louis, Mo., December 1.—Mr. S. H. H. Clark, one of the receivers of the Union Pacific railroad, today announced that he had been offered the president of that

had been offered the president of that company by the reorganization committee, but that owing to ill health he had refused the position.

It has been practically decided to put E. W. Winter, lately president of the Northern Pac'fic, in the place heretofore held by Mr. Clark. The actual head of the corporation, it is said, is to be Marvin Hughitt, president of the Chicago and Northwestern railway, who is to become chief of the board of directors of the Union Pacific.

No Smallpox There. Ryals, who keeps a colored be se at 140 Houston street, desire a rumor to the effect that there case of smallpor

AT THE THEATERS.

Charles H. Yale's "Twelve Temptations" opened at the Grand last night. The only thing about "Twelve Temptations" this year is the name. The costumes are bright and new, the scenery is gorgeous, the spe-cialties are all new and very good. The girls, and the show is made up of the girls, are an exceptionally fine looking lot, and all of their beautiful tights are well and symmetrically filled. The dances are beautiful and unique. The dance of the "four seasons" is splendid. Rosaire and Elliett, the acrobats, are the best that have been here in a long time, and it is doubtful if they have ever been excelled on an At-

At the Lyceum this afternoon the second

Captain T. B. Neal then said: "What we want in the chairman of this committee, gentlemen, is capacity. We want a man who will give his time and attention to the work. We all know the capacity of Colonel W. A. Hemphill, and I nominate him chairman of this committee." musical, it is light and airy.

Manager Sharp has determined to make Colonel Hemphill stated that he was a very busy man and the office would re-

quire a great amount of work. He thought there were other men present who were not as busy as himself. Colonel Hemphill was the only nominee, and when his name was put before the committee he was unanimously chosen chairman. He made a short talk, in which he ac

him chairman of this committee

cepted the office, and said that the pres-ident had spoken the truth when he said their hearts were in the work. He thought that has ever yet been held. Captain English then made a motion that

the chairman appoint a committee of five to recommend the members of the various committees and secretary and other offi cers.

The motion was passed and Colonel
Hemphill named as the committee Captain

English, Captain Neal, Colonel West, Colonel Murphy and Judge Calhoun. On motion of Mr. Albert Howell the president was empowered to fill any vatancie that might occur on the executive com-mittee from time to time. The president will obtain an expression from the members of the committee and find out just exact-ly who will give their attention to the

The executive committee adjourned and will meet again at the call of the chair-

To Appoint Sub-Committees.

Colonel Hemphill called a meeting of the committee of five for this afternoon at o'clock at his office in The Constitution building, at which time the different committees which will be sub-committees to the executive committee will be selected and recommended back to the executive

When these committees are selected the erganization for the work will be com-pleted and then the most important part of the work of the executive committee will begin. The members realize the mag nitude of the reunion and they depend of the city and citizens to give them complete co-operation in the work of preparing for

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Like many others, he tried lie various remedies offered by specialisis for the frestment of weakness peculiar to men, and it was this experience that drove him to a little study and research for his own benefit. He asserts that his ten years' suffering, both mentally

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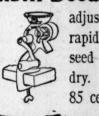
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Legislature Passes Upon Two Most Important Questions Brought Before It

THE OLD CONVICT LEASE SYSTEM TO BE FASTENED UPON THE STATE WITH AN UNLIMITED TIME CLAUSE SO SAYS Mr. GAFFARD TO the Logislature | ELECTION OF JUDGES AND SOLICITORS BY THE PEOPLE

No Reflection on Mr. Hardeman.

When Mr. Pace handed his resolution to the page he said: "All I want to say is

that Robert U. Hardeman was one of the traest and noblest men of this legislature." Mr. Blalock, of Fayette, the chairman of

called shortage, was the first to speak. He made a very earnest and elòquent eulogy upon the high

easurer and said:

pon the high character of the dead state

"I am sure that no man in Georgia, unless it be one who was so fortunate as to be more intimate with him than I, thought

more of Mr. Hardeman, and I am sure that there is not a man in Georgia who would

doubt his honesty. We all know that he was an honest and noble man and those well-known qualities made him one of the most beloved men in this house. I think that this investigation should be made by

port of my committee there was no im-plication of dishonesty against the dead treasurer, whom we all loved."

Mr. Hogan, of Lincoln, made a speech that stirred the house. He said: "Gentlemen, I knew and loved Mr. Hards-man as well as any here, and for that rea-

son I can better appreciate this situation

I know that the substitute by Mr. Pace

should not pass. I am sure that if I were a son of Mr. Hardeman I would prefer that this matter go before the attorney

general of the state, instead of having it before a committee of this house, where, if the finding were in favor of the dead treasurer, the people of the state would cry out that the matter had been whitewashed by the friends of the dead man. I think out of respect to the dead we should naw.

out of respect to the dead we should pass Mr. Swift's resolution and let this matter go in its regular channel through the office of the attorney general."

to set Mr. Little right. He said that he

had not said that there would be a white-wash, but had said that he people a.l over

the state would make that charge. He said that the masses would think that the committee had been appointed to white-wash the matter, but he himself did not

doubt the honesty of the committee.

Mr. Little said that it was simply a ques-

tion as to whether or not the dead treas-

taken and he thought this should be decided by a joint committee. He did not become by a joint committee would even

Little seemed to object very strongly to the word "shortage" which appeared in Mr.

Swift's resolution. The house also seemed to object to this feature of the original resolution, for the substitute by Mr. Pace

Legal Standard Raised.

Mr. Slaton's bill to raise the standard .

the lawyers was passed by a vote of 90 to 56. The bill is simply to make the mode of

examination such that a man cannot gain

admittance to the bar unless he is fit for that place. The bill provides that the ex-aminations shall be held before the su-

perior court judges and that the questions

shall be written. They are then sent to the supreme court judges, where the ex-

amination papers are passed upon by the judges without knowing who the appli-cants are. In this way no cheap lawyers

Bartlett, of Spalding, objected to the bill on the ground that it was a reflect on on the superior court judges of the state. The

bill does not apply to graduates of law schools which have the authority to admit

Oil Inspectors' Salaries Cut.

The oil inspectors were struck rather heavily by the house. Their salaries were

cut about in half. The bill by Mr. Bla-lock, of Fayette, to reduce the oil in-

spectors' fees from a maximum of \$125 per month to \$66.66 was passed. The bill is

the result of the Blalock committee investigation. Only three or four oil inspectors

will be affected by the bill, as only those

Brannen's Question Settled It.

The house then proceeded with the five

remaining questions propounded by Mr. Brannen, of Bulloch. Question one was the first taken up, This proposition means

modified re-enactment of the present sys

tem. It reads:
"Do you favor a lease system as to

all the felony convicts, under state

The ayes and mays were called on this proposition and the lease system was knocked sky high by a vote of ayes, 16;

Second Question Tackled.

The next question was that embracing the reform ideas. It was as follows:
"Do you favor the purchase of a

farm and erection of buildings to care

for juveniles, women and aged and

infirm convicts, and that the able-

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Mr. Awtry, of Cobb, said that this ques-tion should be divided, as he thought it

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can inflict themselves on the state. My

lieve the people of Georgia would evan think of such a thing as whitewashing. Mr.

A Dash of Reform Thrown in by Provisions To Establish a Farm was two questions. Mr. Hall, of Coweta, said that he saw no reason why the question should be divided. The question involved but one system, and as the other for the Aged, Female and Juvenile Inmates, and for the State Inspection of Misdemeanor Convicts.

WILL THE BILL PASS SENATE?

the opinion that all of the fees collected from the building and loan associations should have been paid into the treasury. Therefore be if "Resolved, That a special committee of six members of the senate be appointed to investigate the right of late treasurer. Hon. R. U. Hardeman, to the said fees and report to the general assembly their conclusions in the matter."

No Reflection on Mr. Hardeman. partment Will Come Up and Much Depends Upon Action of House.

Representative Brannen, of Bulloch, led the members of the house through the entanglements of the convict question yesterday, and succeeded in getting them on the straight road to definite action. By virtue of his catechism one suggestion after another was voted down, and the proposition officially known as question No. 2 was adopted with some amendments. The original question read: "Do you favor the purchase of a farm and erection of buildings and infirm convicts; and that the ablebodied convicts be hired or leased under

the attorney general of the state. It is his duty and I think it will have less em-barrassment attached to it. I am exceed-ingly sorry of this, but I want to assure you all that in the resolution or the re-The friends of the old lease system, whose majority in the lower body can no longer be questioned, thought there was a bit too much reform even in this propositien, and before they adopted it they struck out the word "purchase" and inserted the ford "establish." and eliminated the time limit of five years. This means that the lease system is to be fastened upon the state for an indefinite time should a bill framed on these lines pass both houses and receive the approval of the governor. The question of enacting such a law is still in dispute, however, for it is by no means certain that the measure will either adopted by the senate or approved by

There is practically but one change in the old lease system, and that is the separation of the infirm, tuvenile and female convicts, and the fixing of the indefinite term as to hiring. In the matter of the misdemeanor convicts, the house made a bid for the governor's signature by adopting his strongnended suggestion that the state centiontiary officials be given the right to them away from county authorities when-

This disposes of all the Brannen questions tlary department. The legislature is asked on of three, or a principal keeper, and if it favors their ap pointment by the governor, their election by the legislature, or their election by the people. This matter will come up today, and the views of the members are so much at variance that it is impossible to predict is not likely that anything has happened

LIGHT BREAKS ON CONVICT BILL. House Finally Acts, After Handling

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the Hardeman Estate Claim. A small-sized sensation was occasione at the morning session by a resolution in-troduced by Mr. Swift, of Elbert county, calling for an investigation of a so-called shortage alleged to have been discovered by the Blaiock investigating committee. Mr. Swift introduced the resolution as a matter of duty and not because of any feeling. Indeed he expressed regret at the. necessity of the investigation.
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"Whereas, The_Investigating committee appointed February 3d to investigate the different department and institutions of the state, report a shortage of fees received from building and loan associations collected by the late R. U. Hardeman, treasurer. Therefore, be it

"Resolved by the house, the senate concurring, That the matter be referred to the attorney general and he be and is hereby instructed to take such steps as are necessary for the protection of the state."

Mr. Pace Opposes a Substitute.

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Mr. Pace, of Newton, who is filling Col-onel Hardeman's unexpired term, offered a substitute less harsh in its presentation of the situation. It read as follows:

"Whereas, The committee appointed pursuant to said resolution to the house, and in their said report they find that the late treasurer of the state, Hon. R. U. Hardeman, had received fees from building and loan associations amounting to from \$1,000 to \$6,000; and.

"Whereas, The report of said committee calls into the question the right of the treasurer of this state to the fees collected from building and loan associations; and,

"Whereas, Said committee have expressed



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two propositions had been voted down, this was the only solution left. Speaker Jenkins ruled that the sub-propositions in the general question were so related to and dependent upon each other that they could not well be divided. He, however, would put the motion to have the question divided.

ette, the question was changed so that the word "five" was stricken and the number of years left blank. The word "purchase" was stricken on motion of Mr. Nevin and the word "establish" inserted. The question was then divided as proposed by Mr. Awtry. The first division of the question which related to piccing certain of tion, which related to placing certain of the convicts on a farm, was voted upon. On this question the first decided difference

Want the Reform. The aye and nay vote was called with the result that the convict farm idea was adopted by a vote of 100 ayes to 20 nays.

The second half of the question was vot The second half of the question was voted upon and adopted by a vote of 97 ayes and 26 nays.

The question as accepted was as fol-

"Do you favor the establishment of a farm and erection of buildings to care for the juveniles, women and aged and infirm convicts, and that the ablebodied convicts be hired or leased under state supervision in terms of not longer than - years?"

Question four was next considered. It is as follows: "Do you favor state supervision of the misdemeanor convicts, at the same time leaving the direct control to the county authorities?"

This question was adopted by a vote of

71 ayes and 46 nays.

Mr. West Explains. Mr. West, of Lowdnes, made a statement to the house, in which he disclaimed any discourtesy to the house in refraining to vote the day before and vigorously scored an evening newspaper. The statement was as sensational as the scene in the house when Mr. West denied the right of the house to make him answer the penitentiary grery and maintained his position for thirty minutes, while members threatened and cajoled. Immediately after the assembling of the house the member from Lowndes rose to a question of personal privilege and said:

"I desire this morning to state in my place that I meant no discourtesy to the house. Without egotism, I think I can say that during the six years I have been a member of the house I have tried to attend to my duties as much as any member of this body."

Mr. West added that, while he had in-

Mr. Little, of Muscogee, resented the word "whitewashed" used by Mr. Hogan. He said that he wanted to assure the gentended no discourtesy, he felt assured of the justice of his stand and had no apol-ogies to make for that. When Mr. West hal concluded Speaker Jenkins made a leman from Lincoln that the right kind of a committee appointed from that house would not whitewash this matter. He asked Mr. Hogan if he were the son of Mr. lardeman would be favor a resolution that short statement expressing the highest rechafged his father with having a shortage in his accounts, as did the resolution by Mr. Swift, of Elbert. Mr. Hogan hastened gard for Mr. West, both as a member and

County Penitentiaries Suggested. The latest bill to be offered for the solu-Pearce, of Houston. This bill provides for the most radical and sweeping change that has been suggested by any measure. The bill provides that in each county in this state a penitentiary system shall be created and the bill empowers and requires, each county to provide comfortable camps and quarters for the safe keeping of all urer was entitled to the feer that he had taken and he thought this should be deconvicts who have been or shall hereafter be convicted of crime and sentenced to serve in the penitentiary or chaingang by ounty upon such terms and conditions as they may agree upon and are not inconsistent with the laws in this state. In no case shall a convict be hired to any individual or corporation where the terms of the contract places the convicts under the control of said corporation and takes it out of the hands of the county or state A principal and assistant keeper of the penitentiary are provided. So far as in consistent with the financial ability of the counties the white and the colored convicts

> Favorable Report on Asylum. The committee on lunatic asylum made its annual report at the night session.
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> This report was devoid of any special feature. It simply told of the visit of the committee to the asylum and complimented the management very highly. The report showed that the buildings were cleanly kept, the inmates given the best of treat-ment, the money expended in the right direction and the books kept as neatly and

> accurately as possible. Decatur's City Court. Mr. Morrison, of DeKalb, offered two bills; one was to establish the city court of Decatur and the other was to amend of Decatur and the other was to amend the charter of Decatur so as to change it

> from the town of Decatur to the city of Decatur.
> The bill is very important to Decatur, and there is a live interest in the matter in all of DeKalb county and in Atlanta.

A Mayor Fell Under the Wheels. Americus, Ga., December 1.—(Special.)— Hon. James Hixon, mayor of Americus, was knocked down and run over today by

will be affected by the bill, as only those in the larger cities have been making as high as \$125 per month.

At 11 o'clock the convict question came up as special order. The first thing done was to pass a resolution offered by Mr. Awtry, of Cobb, to limit all speeches on the question to five minutes. The house was knocked down and run over today by a runaway horse, sustaining painful injuries. The frightened animal was attached to a carriage in which a young lady was seated, and was dashing madly through the streets when Mayor Hixon seized the reins and was dragged beneath the carriage wheels. His fearless act probably saved the young lady from severe injury in the overturning of the vehicle. then made surprising progress in the mat-Mr. West, of Lowndes, moved that in Mr. West, of Lowndes, moved that in the consideration of the convict question any member so desiring be excused from voting. Mr. West thought he was mistreated by the house in requiring him to vote on the preceding day. He thinks a member should not be compelled to vote when he is averse to taking a position on any question for any good reason. His resolution was ruled out of order. Delicate children! What

a source of anxiety they are! The parents wish them hearty and strong, but they keep thin and pale.

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HIS PLAN TO CREATE CURRENCY

Says We Can Evade the 10 Per Cent Tax on State Banks.

A BILL WILL SOON BE INTRODUCED

It Will Embody the Plan Presented by Mr. Garrard, Which, He Says, Has Proven a Success.

"The Best Method of Evading the Federal Law Which Imposes a Tax of Ten Per Cent on State Banks of Issue," was the subject of an address by Hon. Louis F. Garrard, to which the legislature lis tened with great interest last night. The lawmakers were anxious to find a practical and satisfactory way to be successful law breakers.

of the general assembly by invitation of the legislators, who were anxious to ge bill. The plan offered by Mr. Garrard as briefly stated and illustrated by himself,

is as follows:

"An ord.nary bank note is payable in money. Anything payable in something other than money, but measured by the value of money, would be equally yaluable, in the supreme court decision—the Hollister case in 11 United States supreme court reports. The supreme court of the United States, in decision by a full bench, held that an order in the following words, to-wit: "Pay to David O'Calder \$5 in merchandise,' signed by one of the officers of the mercantile agency and directed to another, and which was circulated as money, was not liable to the 10 per cent tax. Buillon silver is merchandise beyond question, and an order for \$5, payable in merchandise silver buillion at retail, under the decision, is liable to taxation. At first glance it may be thought that this order would be liable to fluctuate in value, but on examination you will see

payable in merchandise silver bullion at retail, under thes decision, is liable to taxation. At first glance it may be thought that this order would be liable to fluctuate in value, but on examination you will see that it is for \$5 in merchandise silver bullion, and under the present issuance the circulator would take the risk as to the amount of silver necessary to pay it. This order, however, could be discharged by the payment of \$5 and the holder of the order would be compelled to receive \$5 in payment thereof. In other words, when an order of this description is presented to the bank, it would not be compelled to pay the \$5 in silver, but could pay the same in legal tender notes. Under the laws of Georgia whenever an obligation is payable in specific articles it can be discharged by paying the money value of the specific article—n this case bullion silver—and inasmuch as the order would be for \$5 of merchandise silver bullion, there could be no possibility of the holder being compelled to take less than \$5."

In the panic of '93 Mr. Gorrard advised the Eagle and Phenix Company to issue merchandise certificates similar to the one mentioned in the 111 United States report referred to above. These certificates were payable in—merchandise and were submitted to the internal revenue authorities at Washington and held to be not taxable. More recently Mn. Garrard caused the order in the following words: "Pay to Louis F. Garrard or bearer \$5 in merchandise silver to be issued by the Columbus Savings bank." This order was passed over the counter of the Third National bank and Mr. Garrard paid \$10 for the same. This case was laid before Secretary Carlisle, then secretary of the treasury, who referred the matter to Attorney General Harmon, who, after considerable delay, rendered an op.nion on the same and held that neither the Columbus Savings bank nor the Third National bank had rendered themselves liable to the 10 per cent tax—the one for issuing the order and the other for circulating it. The 10 per cent tax is inte

Mr. Garrard's speech synopsized is as fol-

"The question which I have been called to address you upon is 'The Best Method of Evading the State Bank Tax.' It has been suggested to me that it would be hetter not to use the word 'evade,' but I do not believe in mincing words. I believe that if we can legally evade this victous law it will be right and the word evasion is all right. right "This question is one we have been try-

This question is one we have been trying to solve for many years. We have ceased to look to the republican party for the abolishment of the 10 per cent on state bank issue. In 1863 the national bank law was passed At that time the tax of 1 per cent was put on the state banks. At that time the greenback was worth but 61 cents on the dollar. In 1865, when the greenback had sunk in value to 40 cents on the dollar. the tax of 10 per cent was placed on all the issue of state banks. That tax was intended to prohibit state bank money. It was intended to destroy, and it did destroy, it destroyed the friends of the government. It tore down large institutions and caused a general panic. Later that iniquitous tax was en arged and made to apply to all commercial institutions and corporations.

"The supreme court of the United States has made a decision which makes it possible to evade this tax. The high court has decided in the Hollister case that orders of certificates issued by one person, firm bank or association to another was not liable to state bank tax."

Mr. Garrard now told of the way the Columbus commercial institutions tided over the panic by issuing these certificates. He said that the Columbus corporations issued hundreds of thousands of dollars of these non-taxable certificates in 1853 and that the issue had saved that city and the sur-

non-taxable certificates in 1853 and that the issue had saved that city and the sur-rounding country from ruin. He spoke of the financial thraildom that holds this na-tion in its grasp. He told of how a few men in New York could meet at break-fast and decide upon the ruin of the coun-try. That these men who controlled mil-lions in securities could combine and bor-row every available dollar in New York without one bank knowing that another was being borrowed from. Then the men would call in all loans. The brokers would rush to the banks only to find that there wouldn't be a dollar to borrow .Then a panic would be on the country.

The Remedy Is State Banks.

"Now what is the remedy?" asked Mr. Garrard. "State banks are the remedy and state bank money is the only thing that can save us from these conditions. If we were to have state bank money it would stay at home and then there would be no centralization of money at New York. The state bank money would of necessity stay at home and we would always nave money here. Now I will give you some unwritten history. The terms that Sherman and Stanton offered to the south during the civil war were not as is commonly supposed an act of magnanimity on the part of the northern men. The fact is this Sherman and Stanton consulted together and they found that the financial condition of this country was such that it would be necessary to do something. They decided to unbend so that they could get the southern cotton crop So their terms were not decided by generosity, but by finance.

The Plan in Operation. The Remedy Is State Banks.

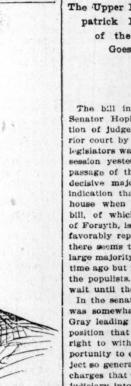
The Plan in Operation.

SENATE PASSES THE HOPKINS BILL PROVIDING FOR THE

class of certificates taxed as state bank issue. The decision of that official was that the certificate was non-taxable. The only thing we can do now is to create this perfectly sound currency and use it; or we can do as a gentleman of this house suggests in his bill. We can have this matter tested by the supreme court of the United States and if we win then we can create state banks of issue just as they were before the tax law was passed. You know very well that if these evasion certificates are issued by some good bank that is perfectly solid they will be just as good money as you could desire. I do not believe in putting out anything like wildcat currency. We cannot afford to put out anything that is not solid. Now, before another panic comes—and it will come as soon as our financial masters get ready for it. Let's get our banks filled with these certificates and then when the panic comes

It is Practically a Law Already, for a Similar Bill Has Been Favorably Reported to the House and There Is Little Doubt of That Body Confirming the Senate's Action.

where for quite a while he has been identified with the workings of the church. The progress made there is due greatly to his energy. He is well known there to the progress with the workings of the church.



HON. J. A. BRANNEN.

The Young Representative from Bulloch, Whose Genius Untangled the House on the Convict Question.

the certificates can be circulated over this state and we will have good money, no matter how much the greenbacks and gold are hoarded.

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Free Silver by the State.

Free Silver by the State.

"Create state banks and we will get the silver. The free circulation of silver and state banks go hand in hand. By a little reasonable, sensuale legislation by the government, we could coin all the silver we could use. Are we to sit still and not try to do something? It seems to me that we should be doing something. I don't say that my views are necessarily right, but I think the plan is one that you would do well to give your highest consideration. "This is not a new and untried experiment. It has been tried and has afforded relief in panicky times wherever these certificates were placed in circulation. Thanking you for your attention, I will close."

A bill embodying Mr. Garrard's plan will be presented in the legislature, be presented in the legislature,

CHANGES IN THE PULPITS

Recent Appointments Will Effect

Many Methodist Churches.

TWO NEW PRESIDING ELDERS Several Ministers Who Come to At-

lanta Churches Have Never Held Charges Here Before.

When the appointments of the recent North Georgia conference take effect sev-eral Atlanta pulpits will be occupied by ministers who have never before held charges in this city. Others who have be-come familiar to and popular with the At-lanta public will be removed. It is their places the new ones will take.

It has been said of the recent appointments that they have given more satisfac-

tion than the appointments of any confer-ence during the post ten years.

While several of the most popular Methodist ministers are removed from Atlanta. several well-known preachers, young men who have won names for themselves in other cities and who have bright futures before them, will make their appearance.

As presiding elder of the North Atlanta district will come Rev. W. B. Stradley, a minister beloved by every congregation he has ever served. He comes from Augusta, where for several years he has had charge of St. John's church, one of the most important charges in that city. He is a native of Tennessee and came to Georgia after spending a number of years in California. Dr. W. P. Lovejoy, who takes the place

of Dr. Heidt as presiding elder of the

ington, Ga., who will take charge of the

Edgewood Avenue church, is one of the best known young ministers in the state and has many friends in Atlanta. Some years ago he was appointed to a charge which he declined to take for reasons which he made known at that time. He was upheld in this action by the succeeding conference. He is a powerful speaker and there is no doubt that he will be well liked by the congregation. Rev. J. T. Daves, form

the Georgia avenue church, who goes to the Georgia ayenue church, who goes to Park street church, in West End. is one of the best known young ministers of Atlanta. He graduated at Emory college about ten years ago and was at one time a tracker in the Bayer High school of this teacher in the Boys' High school of this

His first chrge near Atlanta was the Epworth church, in Edgewood. He went next to the Georgia avenue church and now gets the important appointment to Park street church. His appointment to this latter place is very gratifying to his The other ministers who come to Atlanta are Drs. Bigham and McClesky, both well

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FITZGERALD'S MAYOR HERE.

Mr. Goodnow Talks of the New Town

and Lord Beresford. Mr. C. C. Goodnow, mayor of Fitzgerald, accompanied by Mr. D. C. Welch, one of that city's prominent citizens, was at the Leland yesterday. They came to assist

heir representative in the legislature in having an amendment passed to the char-ter of Fitzgerald, making a few changes in ter of Fitzgerald, making a lew changes in that municipality.

Mr. Goodnow talks encouragingly of the prospects of that meteoric city. We have about 7,000 people," said he, "and are only two years old. We will soon have four nailroads, and the town is building fast. From present indications Fitzgerald will soon be one of the leading cities of the south."

south."

When asked about Lord Beresford, who left Fitzgerald by the light of the moon, Mr. Goodnow stated nothing had been heard from the chap since he left and that Fitzgerald had no idea of and no interest in his whereabouts. According to Mr. Goodnow, the general vertict in Fitzgerald seems to be that Beresford is a bad boy.

New Legal Firm.

Mr. W. B. Willingham and Mr. Hubert L. Culberson yesterday announced the con-solidation of their legal practice. Prior to the death of Mr. Charles Blalock the firm

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The Upper House Also Kills the Kilpatrick Railroad Bill-Another of the Meldrim Measures Goes the Way of Its Predecessors.

The bill introduced some time ago by Senator Hopkins providing for the elec rior court by the people instead of by the legislators was adopted by the senate at its passage of the bill was 30 to 12, and this decisive majority is taken as a further house when it reaches there. A similar bill, of which Representative Henderson, of Forsyth, is the author, has already been favorably reported to the lower body, and there seems to be little doubt that a very large majority would have adopted it some time ago but for the fact that it came from the populists. The democrats preferred to In the senate the debate on the measure was somewhat flerce, President Pro Tem. position that the legislative body had no right to withhold from the people an opportunity to express their wishes on a subject so generally fliscussed. In reply to the charges that the measure would bring the judiciary into politics, he said the liveliest ning of legislative sessions when judges and solicitors were to be elected.

judges," said he. "They elect the judges of the supreme court and this gives general satisfaction. Why should they be allowed to elect a judge of the supreme court whom elect the judge of the superior court, whom

they do know?" very lively fashion. He denounced the tac tics of the friends of the bill, which, he said, placed its opponents in a false position. An attempt had been made to put them in the light of corruptionists and

A Reference to Augusta.

the proper method of discussing this bill. Instead of using harsh language, let us address ourselves to the task of determining what is the best method of choosing islature are rotten. I have been here fore, and I did not cast a single vote that senator from the seventh ever cast a corrupt vote or any vote that he is asha

Mr. Everett interrupted long enough to "I did not say I was ashamed of what

I did, but I regretted the circumstances which made it necessary." "I do not think the gentleman should make statements which cast a slur on this body." said Mr. Brinson.
"Do senators think this an ideal way to elect judges? Are they really serious is "Toddies and observe its statement of the statement of the

in it? Today an election is going on in a neighboring city, and two eminently respected gentlemen are candidates for mayor. We all know, or ought to know, what

the situation is there." Too Much Politics Already.

Senator Everett supported the bill and said that his pledge to vote for it had been an issue in his campaign.
"If I wanted to be a demagogue," said "I would ride into office on the shoulders of the people and then turn the back of my hand to them and vote against this

"They talk about political influence on the judiciary if they are to be ele Great God! Where was there ever trading and promising than there has been in the election of these officers by the leg-islature? I speak whereof I know. I have been in it and helped to do it. I was sent to the legislature for a purpose, and I dis-charged my duty. I had to fight the devil with fire. They say by this method judges will have to get down into the mire of poli-tics. If I belonged to an influential family in Fulton or Stewart and wanted to control a judge, where would I sooner go for that purpose than to the Georgia legisla-

Senators T. D. Stewart, Atkinson and Hopkins spoke briefly in favor of the bill, and it then went to a vote. The ayes were 30 and the nays 12. When the result was plause. It is probable that the measure will be made a special order for an early date in the house.

Kilpatrick Railroad Bill Killed.

The result of the session of the upper ouse was rather commonplace. Mr. Kilpatrick's bill extending the power of the railroad commission so that it can require railroads to furnish cars to other lines without discrimination, and to give through bills of lading by routes desired by shippers was killed. The joint resolution inviting Hon. Louis F. Garrard to address a joint

Session last night met some opposition.
The resolution was adopted 25 to 4.
The bill by Senator Gray raising the rank of the adjutant general to that of brigadier general passed by a vote of 23 to 1. One of the Savannah bills for the abolition of the department of public works came up on an unfavorable report and met its death. Mr. Felder's resolution tendering the use of the capitol to the United Confederate Veterans was adopted. It pro-vides also for a committee of five represen-tatives and three semators to welcome the

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The Bankers Will Agitate.

The following letter from a correspondent in southwest Georgia deserves both attention and comment. Americus, Ga., November 30, 1897,-Editor

pleasure the call of the Atlanta bankers a meeting of representatives of all thern banks in Atlanta on the 15th instant to discuss the question of currency reform and to demand the enactment of legislation by congress that will prevent bank panics and currency famines. Agitanecessary for the protection of the people. We were notified in the last campaign that the only thing in the way of prosperity was confidence, and that agitaprevented the return of confide was republican argument. Now and that our representative business men throughout the country are joining in the agitation for relief. I congratulate them and I congratulate The Constitution on the brough and complete vindication of its A WIREGRASS BANKER.

We presume that there were many honest and even thoughtful men who imagined last year that the hard times were due to democratic agitation for currency reform, or, in other words, for financial relief. They were misled by the catch-penny phrases of that class which does not want currency reform except in the direction of making money dearer and scarcer, and which, in times of currency famines, makes its largest It was this class which declared that all that was necessary to prosperity was a return of confidence, and that the efforts of those who were agitating for relief and reform drove confidence out of the country.

It was, indeed, a very specious and tricky argument, and hundreds of business men and bankers fell into the trap set for them, forgetting that in a popular government there can be no reliet may be its object, has such an effect, from established abuses and no real re- will receive the approval of the senate. except as the result of agitation. The agitation which the so-called conservative interests deplored and deprecated last year has been going on in this republic from the year of its foundation, and will continue to go on as long as the people are divided into parties.

But those who really believed that return of confidence would restore prosperity were very quickly undeceived. After the election all agitation came to a standstill. Those who had been agitating for reform and relief were the first to say to Mr. McKinley and the republicans that they asked for nothing but the restoration of prosperity. They said: "Give us prosperity by a high tariff or by any other republican method, and you'll hear no more of the demands which we have been making. All we ask or desire is a restoration of prosperity."

But did the cessation of agitation re store prosperity? The answer to this question is to be found in the fact that the bankers of the south, led by those of Atlanta, who are as conservative as any business men in the world, are preparing to agitate for relief and reform. Their methods are not those advocated by the agitators last year, but the ends they aim at are precisely the same. Here are some of the proposed reforms:

"To give smaller towns the benefit of better banking facilities, so that every honest man will have meted out to him the credit he is entitled to."

"To give producers of every kind and in every section ample currency at reasonable rates of interest to handle and hold their crops or manufactures until they desire to dispose of them."

"To make all banks equal under any law of the United States providing for banks of Issue."

"To prevent bank panics and currency famines.'

For years The Constitution has been

agitating on these lines. We have pointed out time and again that the law which limits the borrowing of money to those who own or who can command government bonds is a deadly blow at the basis of all business-credit. We have shown that while this may have been necessary when the law was passed (in 1866) to give substantial market value to government bonds, it is no longer necessary. The banks may issue billions of notes, but so long as character and integrity are ruled out of the loan market, just so long will there be contraction of the currency, so far as ordinary business is concerned.

For saying these and other timely things, The Constitution has been acised of "attacking" the banks. As a

matter of fact, however, there are hundreds of national bankers who agree with every criticism The Constitution has made on the law, But we mention this merely by way of reminiscence.

The main thing to consider is the im. portant fact that the bankers themselves are beginning to realize that there is real necessity for reform along some lines advocated by those who, twelve months ago, were labeled as "agitators." Seeing the necessity, the banks do not hesitate to agitate, and we think it is a very good thing that they are willing to do so. They proceed, too, in a businesslike way. They issue a call for convention-which we trust will contain a representative from every southern bank, for the reforms proposed are of vital importance to this section-and then when the convention meets there will ensue the agitation of discussion.

Let us hope that this event will give to "agitation" its proper meaning in the minds of business men. Reforms cannot be carried without it; relief can only be obtained as the result of it. It is true that there is no prospect that the republicans will pay any attention to the demands of the southern banks. Indeed, it is certain that they will oppose the most important propositions put for ward by the Atlanta bankers in their platform. But that is no reason why agitation in favor of them should not begin and go on until the people of all sections are brought to see their importance. In this way the national platform of the democratic party will achieve its triumphant vindication.

A Dangerous Measure.

To a casual observer it appears that the legislature is going wild in the matter of insurance legislation. The passage by the house of the Dodson bill gives a blow to the insurance interests of the state which will not be without its effect even though the bill should fair of passage in the senate. The fact that a bill of this kind meets the approval of even one branch of the legislature is enough to put the people to thinking and to threaten the stability of outsid investments in Georgia business. It is to be hoped that the bill will be defeated by the senate, and it is confidently predicted that it will be.

The bill, as passed by the house, establishes a premium on insurance fraud. It refuses to permit any insurance company to cancel a policy, even where fraud in the application for such policy has been clearly proven, unless the company first pays to the policy holder, on whom such fraud has been fixed, the amount of his premiums already paid in. with more interest than any company can earn. In other words, in order to obtain an insurance policy, a designing schemer can make the most fraudulent pretensions without any risk to himself. If he should be detected before his policy becomes non-contestible by limitation, the company canno cancel the policy, even though fraud is admitted, unless it first returns the premiums paid in, with interest. A man who thus proceeds to deliberately defraud an insurance company has everything to gain and nothing to lose, for if he can conceal his fraud until the bolicy reaches the non-contestible pe riod the policy thus obtained takes equal rank with a policy issued to an honest man on an honest application in which The no misrepresentations are made. bill passed by the house thus does in justice not only to the insurance companies, but to their honest policy holders, whose dividends will be thus cut

The measure which has passed the house virtually puts the approval of the state on such frauds, and we do not believe that a measure which, whatever

Two Splendid Achievements.

An article which recently appeared in the news columns of The Constitution has been construed by some of the good people of Nashville as reflecting, in a sense, upon the results achieved by the promoters of the Tennessee Centennial exposition, and as evincing at this end of the line a disposition to foster comparisons between that exposition and the one in which the people of Atlanta

felt and feel so much pride. The Nashville American puts this construction upon the article in question, and makes its reference to the matter the occasion for a strong editorial indorsement of the Tennessee en-The American speaks of the terprise. obstacles which had to be overcome by President Thomas and his co-workers, and points to the results with pride.

The Constitution takes pleasure in

indorsing everything which The Ameri-

can has to say about the success achieved by the Centennial exposition manage ment, and begs to assure The American and the people of Tennessee that there has been no intention and no tendency on the part of Atlanta to in any way be little that enterprise. On the contrary, Georgia and the entire south feel a pride in its success. There should be no jealous comparisons of the Atlanta and Tennessee expositions, for none are neces-Both were most creditable sary. their makers; both were splendid achievements. Conceived and carried into splendid execution during the period of the country's greatest depression, they both spoke volumes for the enter prise and the energy of the south, and when the much-hoped-for return of pros-perity does come, the entire south will

by these expositions. proud of them both.

We are

Colonel Walsh's Victory. As the result of the most notable, as well as the noisiest and longest municipal campaign ever known in Georgia, Hon. Patrick Walsh has been triumphantly elected mayor of Augusta. The election will meet the approval not only of the whole state, but the news of Colonel Walsh's brilliant victory will read with pleasure today throughout the He is one of Georgia's most country. distinguished sons, and we have never for a moment believed that Augusta would defeat him for the mayoralty. The stubbornness of the fight for the position and the adverse conditions confronting Colonel Walsh, render his victory the more notable, without reflecting discredit on either of his two well-known adversaries.

The two municipal elections which oc curred on yesterday in Atlanta and Augusta offer striking contrasts at almost point

In Atlanta the spirit of law and order reigned supreme. From the hour the polls were first opened until the last folded ticket found its way into the bal-

lot box there was not the least disturbing element to mar the tranquil char-acter of the election. Business went on as usual without jar or friction; and save for the interest which every good citizen naturally felt in the result, there was little to suggest that a city elwas in progress. Disorder and drunk-enness were both completely eliminated from the polls, and everything passed of

in perfect harmony.

Not so with the election in Augusta. The voting precincts of that city presented the appearance of pandemonium turned loose, and every interest of the city felt the effect of its demoralizing nfluence. On account of the import ance of the leading stake at issue and the eagerness to sweep the field which characterized each party to the contest, there was no hesitation to employ those methods which are commonly invoked when ignorance is to be dealt with at the ballot box. To Augusta's credit it must be predicted, in view of the experience through which she passed on yesterday, that in the future she will seek to care fully avoid such contests by adopting methods which are calculated to decide important issues without demoralizing the community.

What accounts for this difference between the two elections? The question is not difficult to answer. Some months ago Atlanta submitted her municipal issues to a white primary and obtained therefrom the untrammeled expression of the intelligent white voters of this city. The result was reached without friction or confusion. Having settled the issues which confronted her in the primary election, there were no further issues to disturb her in yester day's election, and the contest pasced off in marked contrast with the one which demoralized her sister city. Augusta should carefully note the esson which Atlanta holds out to her, and should hereafter settle its municipal contest by the primary method. It is the best way, and we are sure that the conservative sentiment of our sister city will agree to have no more such campaigns as that through which the city has just gone.

The legislature is pie for the country

Nobody has ever been able to find out why the general assembly is so mixed up on the convict question. There couldn't be more confusion if Uncle Joe Mansfield had turned a Spanish bull loose in the capitol.

The only way to prevent currency famines is to make borrowing easy for men of known honesty and integrity.

The state banks seem to be getting along very well, and they don't demand a show-down of bonds every time a borrower appears at their counters.

The idea that the republicans can be induced to reform the currency on lines calculated to please the people is so absurd as to be laughable.

The convict tangle is calculated to cause the people to do some fretting at the primaries some day.

ASK FOR AN EXTRA SESSION. Memphians Call Upon Governor Taylor and Have a Conference.

Nashville, Tenn., December 1.—(Special.)— The Memphis members of the legislature called upon Governor Taylor today and had a long conference with him in regard to the proposed extra session.

All of them signed a petition to him to call the legislature together and expres themselves as confident that the call will be made. They telegraphed to the Mrchants' exchange, the cotton exchange, the city council and board of health urging immediate meetings and the adoption of resolutions.

utions favoring the call.
Governor Taylor left tonight for Michigan to address the students of Ann Arbon university and will be in Memphis on Sun-day to receive the formal request for an extra session, which, if called, will be net

fter the first of the year. This will precipitate the fight for senator to fill out the unexpired term of Senator Harris. It is thought that the candidates will be Senator Turley, Congressman M Treasure: Craig and Secretary of State Morgan, who left for New York to night to borrow \$206,000 to pay the interest on the state debt.

DEATH OF JOHN P. JACKSON. He Rescued Survivors of the Jeanette Expedition.

The New York Herald staff, died in Paris oday from Bright's disease. Mr. Jackson at one time was foreign editor at the home office of The Herald. Some years ago he was sent as a corre spondent of The Herald to the relief of the Jeanette expedition. He successfully performed the perilous mission, crossing rorth-

ern Siberia and effecting the rescue of the

survivors of the Jeanette.

Paris, December 1.-John P. Jackson, of

In the Russo-Turkish war he was assoclated with such famous correspondents as J. A. MacGahan, Archibald Forbes and Frank W. Millet.

DEATH OF MAJOR B. P. ROBSON. Led the Missouri Pacific Strike in 1894.

Little Rock, Ark., December 1.—Major Benedict P. Robson died today of Bright's disease, He was sixty-five years old and eaves a widow, who is a grandniece of

For many years prior to 1894 the de ceased was employed on various railroads and was well known in railroad circles. He was at one time passenger agent of the Memphis and Charleston railroad with headquarters at Memphis, and later general manager of the Ripley narrow gauge railroad running from Ripley, Miss., to Middieton. Tenn. Meton, Tenn. He gained national prominence in 1894 through his leadership of the great Mis-souri Pacific strike.

Death of James Tunsey Eufaula, Ala., December 1.—(Special.)— James Tunsey, an old and influential citi-zen, died at his home last night. His fun-eral will take place from St. James' Episcopal church tomorrow norning at o'clock and his remains will be laid rest in the cemetery here.

Mrs. Thomas Bearden, Gainesville, Ga Gainesville, Ga., December 1.—(Special.)—
Mrs. Mattie H., wife of Mr. Tom Bearden, died today, after a long illness. She was a good woman, and leaves a husband, one child and many friends to mourn her departure. The burial will take place tomorpher to the city competer.

WILSON AND CURRY AT AUBURN Were Met by Cadet Corps and Escorted

to Hotel. Auburn. Ala., December 1.—(Special.)— This morning at 8 o'clock National Secre-tary of Agriculture James Wilson and Hon. J. L. Curry, trustee of the Slater fund, ar-

rived here.

They were met by the cadet corps and escorted to Langdon hall, where both made addresses to the school and general public.

Secretary Wilson rode over the experimental farm, viewed the many college buildings, and it is supposed.

JUST FROM GEORGIA.

My Friends, My Books. (From The American Baptist Publication Society's Christmas Circular.) Give me my books Some pathes to tread

Where Homer harped his songs for bread Where in some quaint and dim old inn Dan Chaucer many a night hath been, And told the story and the joke Of famous Canterbury folk; Where Spenser's facry tales abound And Thomson rolls his "Seasons" round; Where Shakespeare gave a thousand

nights Sublime or riotous delights (And taught mankind to scale the heights.) Old friends and new, with winsome looks-Give me my books!

Give me my books I warrant you There are your friendships sweet and true For all the ancient ashen weather We clasp hands and grow young together For all the winter's frost and chill They sing there at my fireside still; I ope the door, and friend on friend Comes to me from the far world's end! Jack Falstaff-fat and famous Jack-Enters my inn and calls for sack, And many a rare toast doth propose While burns the fly on Bardolph's nose; Or ancient Pistol, with his might Murders dull Latin half the night! Or Justice Shallow-old and vain Tells the wild tales of youth again! I meet them all with welcome looks-Give me my books!

Give me my books Trim well the fire And let the singing blaze leap higher Till sparks that up the chimney race Flash lights on every friendly face! What care I for the winter's cold? Here are my friends-their hands I hold Their virtues praise, their faults condemi And warm me at the hearts of them! Sweet friends and true! I yearn to you-The old as dear still as the new! Come to me still with winsome looks, My friends-my books!

With tenderer story, sweeter rhymes, Come to me at the Christmas time When all the bells in music chime! And where the holly berries gleam Give me the olden, golden dream! Come to me when the vule log glows And though without beat winter's snows Within shall bloom Spring's sweetest rose Be gifts to those I love the best-Sweet, tender thoughts to every breast And heavens of delightful rest! Give them your brightest, merriest looks My Christmas books!

Frank L. Stanton A Veteran Voter. "I understand, Uncle Jim, that they're

going to throw out your vote." "Dev is, suh?" "That's what they tell me." The old man looked thoughtfully at the ground then raising his head, said: "Could you tell me, ef you please, suh, des

how many of 'em dey gwine ter throw out?" "How many of 'em?" "Yes, suh, so's I'll know des how many

of 'em I'll have left!" Miss Lindy's Coldness.

Las' time I see Miss Lindy She hol' her head so high She never know de way I go-Miss Liray pass me by

Oh, Miss Ludy, Heah's yo' lover true; De weddin' ring Is a purty thing,

En de weddin' ring's fer you. Las' time I see Miss Lindy My heart beat loud en fas':

She heah de soun', but don't look round, En des go sailin' pas'! Oh, Miss Lindy, Heah's yo' lover true, Is a purty thing,

En de weddin' ring's fer you!

An Expert in the Busin In selecting a jury in a southern court, a lawyer in a murder case asked a hardy mountaineer: "Do you believe in capital punishment?"

"In 'capital punishment?" "Yes."

"Naw, I don't! I'm agin capital wherever "My good man, you don't understand

the question. In plain words, if the prisoner here should be found guilty, would you object to hanging him?" "Not a bit!" replied the man, "I've hung dozens in my day. Fact is, I hangs 'em every time I think they needs it! All I want is rope."

A Love Note. We smile, and deem Love's sun is set, And give the rose our tears, When love may be a violet That blossoms unawares.

CHARGES AGAINST CAPT. CARTER Court Martial of the Officer Will Be Held in Savannah.

The trial by court martial of Captain O. M. Carter, under the charges now being prepared by the war department, will unoubtedly be held in Savannah. The law on the subject requires that such trials be held where the witnesses can be secured with the least expense, and nearly all the witnesses live here, or near here. It is required that the accused be furnished a copy of the charges within eight days after the court martial is ordered Captain Car-ter's attorneys, Messrs, Carlton, MacKall and Anderson, state, however, that they have heard nothing upon this subject as

Savannah, Ga., December 1.-(Sp

Captain Carter's friends were somewhat surprised over the announcement that there would be a court martial, but they believe irmly that such a court will deal only with the minor charges and that the question collusion with the contractors will not touched, since there is practically no evi-dence to support the charge.

Marriages in Columbus.

Columbus, Ga., December L—(Special.)—
This afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of the father of the young lady, Mr. G. H. Neill, in Wynnton, Mr. William Jefferson Bickerstaff and Miss Bessie Bright Neill were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed by Dr. W. A. Cart'ar, passor of the Presbyterian church. The couple left this afternoon for Hurtsboro, where a reception complimentary to them will be given by the sister of the groom, Mrs. Mitchell. Mr. Bickerstaff is one of the most prominent citizens of Russell county. Alabama. His bride is the popular daughter of Mr. G. H. Neill, and is a very charming young lady. Marriages in Columbus. ar of Mr. G. H. Neill, and an angle of Mr. John W. This afternoon at 2 o'clock Mr. John W. Edmunds and Miss Ruth Byerd were married at the First Baptist church, Dr. W. H. Smith officiating. The groom is a popular young man, and his bride is a charming

Convicted of Sunday Violation Columbus, Ga., December 1.—(Special.)—ome time ago the grand jury of Muscogee ounty created somewhat of a sensation by idicting quite a number of shopkeeper or doing business on Sunday. Today one the number, N. Tellebaum, was tried in the superior court and was convicted.

HUCKABEE PLAYS "TIMMERMAN.

He Writes a Circular Letter on the Prailties of the Brethren.

ELDER M'GHEE IS AROUSED

Denounces the Work of Mr. Huckabe as Anarchistic.

INTENDED TO AFFECT DELEGATE ELECTIONS

the Troubled Waters, but Principals Refuse To Be Placated.

Mr. Williams Tries To Pour Oil Upon

Savannah, Ga., December 1.-(Special.)-The session of the South Georgia confer-erce of the Methodist Episcopal church

IN THE HOTELS.

Mr. Arthur C. Neely, of the publishing firm of F. Tennyson Neely, New York, a printing house of considerable reputation throughout the country, is here on a business trip. Mr. Neely is en route to New Orleans, where he is going on business for his house. He is making a tour of outhern cities. It is an encouraging sign of the times to note that Mr. Neely says the prospects for a splendid holiday trade are of the very best. He finds the book business throughout the south in a very flourishing condition. It was Mr. Neily's firm which recently brought out Miss Hallie Erminie Rives's book, "Smok-ing Flax." The book is the first work of this young Kentucky girl who, be it said in passing, is a first cousin of the only amelie Rives—and its success has been nearly phenomenal. It has been one of the selling hits of the fall season.

Signor Giacomo Quintano, the violinist of Mme. Hastreiter's concert company, re-ceived a warm welcome in Atlanta, which fact makes an interesting little story. Several years ago Signor Quintano and Signo degger, now of this city, were classmates and roommates at school to-gether in Naples, in far-away Italy. Both were young, with souls full of music, the

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES HANDS ITSELF A BOUQUET

In the heavy cloud of criticism which darkens the legislative horizon there has appeared one ray of sunshine, and the members of the house of representatives are grasping at it. There is a single editor in Georgia who thinks well of the legislature, and in the goodness of his heart this drop of human kindness bubbled over and fell into the pages of the paper last week: "The fifty days' limit of the session will soon be reached and the body is work-

ing faithfully for the conserving and upbuilding of this grand old commonwealth." The members of the house caught the drop and preserved it. The following resolution, introduced by Representative Faust, was yesterday passed without opposition and spread upon the journal in dark blue ink:

"Whereas, The Sandersville Herald is the only newspaper in the state that has at any time spoken a word of praise of the present legislature; therefore, be it "Resolved, That we, the members of the house, hereby tender our thanks to said newspaper for said words of praise, notwithstanding they may have been

began here today in Wesley Monumental There are 350 ministers and delegates to the conference here, and more than 500 visitors, all of whom have been provided

spoken at the expense of truth."

the appointment of different committees and the customary opening services. The annual reports of Wesleyan Female The annual reports of Weseyah Pennale college, of Macon; Andrew Female college, of Cuthbort; Emory college and the South Georgia college at McRae were read by the secretary and referred. A resolution was introduced providing that the confe ence should assume the collection of \$10,000 for the orphans' home, but it was laid on the table, though the vote indicated that it

will be taken up again.

The Twentieth Question Called. The first sensation made its appearance when Bishop Key, who is presiding, called the twentieth question, which, as is well known in Methodist conferences, applies to conduct of ministers. There was no charge against Presiding Elder G. G. MacDonell, the first name called, but he remarked upon the fact that only four of his churches had been able to pay their pastors in full, owing to the low price of cotton. There was no further incident until the name of Presiding Elder John B. McGehee, of the Americus district, was called. He arose with a circular alleged to have been written by Rev. W. A. Huckabee, of Camilla, stating some one had made charges of fraud. The inference was that Dr. McGehee was under for something done four years ago. Huckabee was asked about the matter, and admitted writing the circular.

Dr. McGehee Aroused McGhee then proceeded to arraign Mr. Huckabee, charging that the ottack was made upon him for the purpose of having him removed as presiding elder or keeping him from goin to the general conference at Baltimore. The name mentioned in the circular was "King Saul," and Dr hee construed that as referring to him. Dr. McGehee then went back four years, saying these attacks come every four years. He said Dr. Huckabee made an attack like the present one four years ago, nd was partially successful. He wet his shot this year, and fired the whole load at the presiding elder. He had the circular of four years ago, but would not read it, as it was nauseating. He said it should be headed "anarchy," as Herr Most in his palmiest days could not frame a more anarchistic paper. The circular four years ago was signed W. A. Huckabee.

No Place Here. Rev. A. M. Williams endeavored to call a halt in the arraignment of Mr. Huckabee, but Dr. McGehee would not be stopped. Mr. did not think personalities should be dulged in. Dr. McGehee said he would in-dulge in personalities, and he continued to duige in personanties, and he continued Mr. do so. He had no feeling against Mr. Huckabee, he said: If the conference desired to pass his character after he had concluded his remarks, he would have nothing to say.

Mr. Huckabee made a brief statement in his own defense the mater will be awaited with

BRUNSWICK'S SHIPPING RECORD. November's Work Proves To Be a Record Breaker.

Brunswick, Ga., December 1.-(Special.) The Times' shipping record for Brunswick for the month of November is another record breaker. It proves to be the seco the greatest shipping month in the history of the port. November, 1896, exceeded it by a few thousand in the total of shipping values. The records broke by this month's record are the largest number of bales of cotton ever shipped in any month from this port, 46,749; the largest amount of import values in any one month at this port, \$734,-650; the largest amount of foreign export values in any one month from this port, \$1,508,474. The total volume of the shipping for the month foots up the total of \$2,540,942. With the record of eleven months of the year thus completed, it is assured that the total for the year will show a remarkable increase in 1896. Only two months showed values of over two million. This year will show three months considerably over that amount. December may go over the three million mark from present indications. The unprecedent monthly record for this port The nearest approach to this record was in November, 1896, when 42,000 bales were shipped.

Fine New School.

Gainesville, Ga., December 1-(Special.)-The trustees of the school at Flowery Branch have just erected one of the bes schoolhouses to be found in the state for the better accommodation of patrons of the school. The building will be a commodious two-story structure, fitting with ample furniture and all necessary modern equipments. These people are making up a most excellent school, have elected competent teachers, and will have a good patronage.

Talbotton, Ga., December 1.—(Special.)—One of the most handsome residences in the city was destroyed by fire last night at an early hour, the fire being discovered on the roof. A defective flue is supposed to be the cause. The property was owned by Mrs. L. K. Spain and was occupied by Professors H. J. Lawrence and J. A. Bryan, Insurance, \$1,000 in the Pennsylvania and \$1,000 in Commercial Union of

one ambitious to become a great violin virtuoso, the other to be a great planist. A decade has passed, each has met with success: Signor Randegger has located in Atlanta and Signor Quintano is touring the country with Mme. Hastreiter's company. The two old friends had a warm yesterday and Atlanta will hence forth be regarded by the gifted young vio finist as the most delightful stopping point on his route. The two had a genuine re-union and in the short space of an afternoon and evening lived over again the dear old school days in Naples. General and Mrs James Longstreet were

the recipients yesterday of much attention at the Kimball, where they have been staying since Tuesday

Mr. M. J. O'Brien, vice president and general manager of the Southern Express Company, is visiting Atlanta and is a guest of the K mball house. Atlanta is one of Mr. O'Brien's favorite cities, where he is well and favorably known and where he has a host of friends, both in and out of railroad and express circles. The hotels were rather quiet yesterday, there being comparatively few arrivals. The Kimball house lobby was filled with

were not many strange faces in the crowd about the desk and cigar stand who daily settle the questions of the nation. Judge Hal T. Lewis is one of the distinguished guests at the Kimball house. The new judge was in the lobby last night

the usual number of politicians, but there

shaking hands with his friends, receiving their congratulations upon his first day on the supreme bench. Hon. L. F. Garrard came up from Columbus yesterday and is at the Kimball

Mr. W. A. Porterfield, a capitalist of Richmond, Va., is spending a few days in the city and is stopping at the Kimball,

Hon. Edgar Wilson, of Mississippi, arrived in Atlanta yesterday and registered at the Kimball.

Captain Wiley Burnett, of Athens, spent yesterday in the city.

THE INSURANCE FIELD.

The assured and the insurance adjusters disagreed over a basis of settlement for a tobacco fire in Chicago. Appraisers were appointed. They found the loss to be \$57,-000 and fixed the loss at \$42,000. This allowed about \$15,000 for the salvage. The insurance companies sold the tobacco and got for it \$28,000. This saves the companies \$13,000 over the appraisal.

The Southern Minnesota Fire Insurance company has reorganized as the Consolidated Fire and Marine Insurance Company of Minnesota. J. H. Griffin has been elect-ed president and general manager.

The report that the stamping office Rome, Ga., will be closed on account of the rebating is denied on good authority. Rome has had some rebating, but it has r monopoly on that score. However, Rome a monopoly on that score. However, Rome has enjoyed the distinction of doing a little more rebating that other points and somebody has suggested that the stamping office ought to be abolished, but that disposition will be abolished. sition will not be made of the compl

The insurance bookmakers at Lloyds, ondon, for a low rate guaranteed that the sale of Jubilee stamps in connection with the prince of Wales hospital sch be £50,000, they to make good the deficiency, if any. Only half the stamps were sold, and the speculative underwriters are paying £25,000. The customery line for each name was £500, and the loss is £250. or 50 per cent.

Superinendent McNall, of Kansas, has called on the fire and life insurance compa-nies for full statements of all their losses, how many claims have been paid and how many contested, the grounds of contest and the name and postoffice address of the policy holders. The life companies, in addition, will have to make a

Commissioner Fricke, of Wisconsin, pects to collect \$100,000 back taxes from companies which has taken out life licenses and then carried on for years an accide usiness also without paying the tax for

The ratio of expense at the Memphis bu reau is said to be out of all proportion to the service rendered, but the local agents there object to any reduction. The Lancasbire Insurance Company has

obtained authority to write employers' oility insurance in Great Britain. The Atlanta Home Insurance Company opened a New York office yesterday at No. 25 Pine street, with Mr. William Morgan as manager for the metropolitan and suburban fields.

The Honor Goes to H. M. Cooper. Brunswick, Ga., December 1.—(Special.)—Congressman Brantley announces tonight that H. M. Cooper, of Bee Hide, Dodgecounty, stood the best examination recently for West Point. J. D Pullen, of McRae, is his alternste. Should Cooper qualify in all other respects he will secure the appointment from this district.

POPE BROWN URGED FOR GOVERNORSHIP

His Priends in Pulaski County Name Him fer the Place.

FARMING RECORD APPROVED

A Man of Intelligence, Who Would Please All the People.

HIS INDORSEMENT IS A STRONG BUE

The Meeting Also Discusses the Low Price of Cotton and the Problems of the Future.

Hawkinsville, Ga., December 1.—(Special) mass meeting of farmers and business en was held here today. It nominated Hon. Pope Brown for the

It took action in regard to the cotton situation.

Indersed Pope Brown. The resolutions referring to Mr. Brown were as foilows:

were as follows:

"Whereas, A number of distinguished gentlemen have been suggested as suitable candidates for governor of Georgia at the next election, we, the citizens of Puissi county, in mass meeting assembled, demit appropriate to give expression to our views and wishes in the premises and do so in the following resolutions, to wit:

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"Resolved I. Hon. Pope Brown is a farmer following no other pursuit, as such has achieved a very decided success and justify stands a champion among his fellow farmers in Georgia.

"Resolved 2. Mr. Brown is a man of great intellectual force, both natural and acquired, and is fully competent to fill any office in the gift of the state.

"Resolved 3. Mr. Brown as a business man is wise, conservative, safe and stands in this respect the peer of any man of his age in Georgia. He is a man of faulties habits and possesses in the highest degree the absolute confidence of his friends and neighbors.

"Resolved 4. As a citizen he has aided in the upbuilding and furtherance of all important enterprises in the communities in which has lived, and has done as much as any Georgian to advance and improve the material condition of the farmers of the state. And while devoted to the bettering of the agricultural interest of the people, yet he is progressive in his views and sentiments and would advance all the interests of Georgia—her commerce, her manufactories, her trades and professions; iin fact, every branch of business that would redound to the glory and prosperity of Georgia.

Resolved 5. We most heartily indorse his

of Georgia.

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tions of life.

"Lastly, That we hope our distinguished fellow citizen will enter the race for the governorship of our state, and we commend him most cordially to the people of Georgia as eminently worthy of their confidence and support." The Cotton Situation.

In regard to the industrial situation the meeting resolved:
"We, as farmers and citizens, view with alarm and intense concern the condition."

"We, as farmers and citizens, view with alarm and intense concern the condition of the farmer and business man generally. Debt hangs like a pall over the home of the farmer, and the merchant is burdened with a load greater than he can bear. "This lamentable state is brought about, we believe, by the over-production of cotton, which no longer occupies the proud position of 'king,' but has become the abject slave of the money changers of, the cast. We see and know from a sad apperience that raising all cotton and no provisions means depression, poverty, banks ruptcy and total ruin. There is a remedy for the ills that afflict us, which, if like prudent men, we will apply, the shackles of debt will be stricken from us and properity will smile upon us.

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"Be it, therefore, resolved: 1. That we, the farmers, bankers, merchants and bus-iness men generally, of Pulaski county, agree and bind ourselves to reduce the cot-ton acreage for the year 1898, so as not to plant more than fifteen acres to a plow and increase the grain and provision crap in proportion.

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"4. That we adopt some plan and invite all the people of the south to join therein looking to the retention in the cotton growing states of the upward of \$200,000,000 brought annually by the cotton crop. brought annually by the cotton crop.

"5. That we heartly concur in the call made by J. C. Wilborn, president of the Cotton Growers' Association of South Carolina, for a convention of farmers of the south at Atlanta, Ga., on December 14th, to adopt some method by which the cotton acreage may be reduced, less cotton made and a better price obtained therefor."

Colonel Hawkins's Last Move.

Americus, Ga., December I.—(Special)—S. H. Hawkins, former president of the Savannah, Americus and Montgomery railroad, now the Georgia and Alabama, made a final effort this afternoon to prevent the removal of the company's general offices to Savannah, by applying to Judge Little John for temporary restraining order. This was refused and all the offices except that of trainmaster were hauled away tonight, and this office may go at a later date. Feedle of Americus recently contributed to the railroad for the location of the shops, and some feel very sore that the offices were taken away, though the company did not contract to keep the head-quarters here.

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Columbus, Gar. December 1.—(Special.)—
Colonel John William Rippon Pope, who
was for many years the editor of The Register in this city, and was statistician for
this state under Cleveland's first administration, died this evening at his residence
here. He was sixty-four years of age.
His wife and four children survive him.
He was a brother of Joseph Daniel Pope
the noted lawyer, who is now the head of
the law department of the South Carolina
college. He was a man thoroughly devoted
to principle, and wielded a vigorous editorial pen. He was a close student, and a to principle, and wielded a vig torial pen. He was a close stud well-posted man.

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Savannah, Ga.. December 1.—(Special.)—
the torpedo flotilla, consisting of the Dupont, Porter, Cushing and Ericsson, left the
city today for Brunswick. The Porter and
one other will stop for a day at St. Catherines island, where the officers have been
invited for a hunting trip by Mr. Jacob
Rauers, the owner of the Island. Lieutenant Kimball said the flotilla would remain
in Brunswick three or four days.

Farrow at Gainesville.

Gainesville, Ga., December 1.—(Special.)—Colonel Henry P. Farrow has returned home to this place from a pleasant visit to relatives and friends at his old home in Porter Springs. He is confident of his appointment as postmaster of the Gainesvills office, and looks for formal notification soon. He has received the support of the republicans of this entire district.

NATIONAL PRISON CONGRESS. Delegates Arriving at Austin, Tex.

Large Representation Predicted. Austin, Tex., December 1.—The national prison congress of the United States will prison congress of the United States will convene in this city tomorrow and will be in session for the next four days.

As yet few of the foreign delegates have arrived, but President Roeliff Brinkerhoff, of Mansfield, O., accompanied by a large contingent, is expected in the morning.

The local committees have made every arrangement for the entertainment for the visitors and the meeting promises much success. Quite a large number of state delegates are already on the ground. THE W

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THE WEATHER.

At 8 o'clock last night there was an area of high barometric pressure in the extreme northwest. It is moving eastward and causing cold weather. The temperature was down to 6 and 4 degrees below respectively at Huron and St. Paul, and freezing temperature covered the entire map east of the Rockies, west and north of a line running southwest from Massachusetts to Texas.

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There was a low pressure area over the coast of Texas, and the temperature had risen in that region, and throughout the south Atlantic states cloudy weather prevailed. It was raining at Vicksburg and New Orleans and precipitation during the valled. It was rating at valued to the work of the past twelve hours was reported from stations in other sections.

Forecast for today: Fair, except threatening weather on coast; colder in northern portion; colder in southern portion Thursday night.

Local Report for Yesterday.

 Daily mean temperature.
 44

 Daily normal temperature.
 45

 Highest temperature.
 56

 Lowest temperature.
 32

 Total rainfall during 12 hours.
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 Deficiency of precipitation.
 11.41

General Weather Report. Daily report of the weather at selected stations as shown by observations taken at \$ p. m., December 1, 1897.

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STATIONS.

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Salveston, cloudy.

Corpus Christi, clear.

Buffalo, partly cloudy.

Detroit, clear. icago, clear... Memphis, clear.
Chattanooga, clear.
Knoxville, clear.
Cincinnati, clear.
St. Paul, clear.
St. Louis, cloudy.
Kansas City, cloudy
Omaha, cloudy.
Huron, clear.
Rapid City, clear.
North Platte, part, cloudy
Dodge City, part, cloudy
Abilene, cloudy.

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-Below zero. J. B. MARBURY, Local Forecast Official.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

CRUSSELLE-Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. . Crusselle are requested to attend the funeral of their little daughter Helen this (Thursday) afternoon at 2 o'clock, from their residence, No. 57 Merritts

The following gentlemen will please meet at the residence and act as pall-bearers: Leonard White, Guy Crusselle, B. M. Hall, E. H. Fralyer. Intermen

MEETINGS.

A regular communication of Fulton lodge F. and A. M. will be held in Masonic hall, corner Pryor and Hunter streets, at 7 o'clock sharp this evening. Work in the M. M. degree. Brethren qualified fraternally invited. Elevator at Pryor street entrance. J. A. ERDMAN, W. M. P. M. HUBBARD, Secretary.

HASTREITER GRAND CONCERT Will Occur Tonight at the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium.

One of the greatest contralto singers of the age, Mme. Helene Hastreiter, will be heard tonight at the Young Men's Christion Association auditorium, together with Signor Giacomo Quintano, together with young Italian violinist; Signor Edgardo, the famous teach with the sale of the sale o famous tenor, who is said to be the natural successor of Jean de Reszke, and Herr von

Scarpa, the great Austrian pianist.

The members of this company form the strongest combination of great artists that ber stands in the front rank of the great music artists of the day and has won the enthusiastic applause of the music loving

world of Europe and America.

Mme. Hastreiter has just returned from
Burope, where she sang with such artists
as Albani, Jean and Edouard de Reszke, and has been the leading contralto of every prominent opera company of that country. The career of the young violinist, Signor Quintsno, has been without a parallel. He only about twenty years of age, but is already one of the great violinists of the world, and his every appearance is the

signal for a perfect ovation. Signor Edgardo is also an artist of rare attainments, and possesses a remarkable eror voice. He refused two most flattering offers to appear in grand opera in Madrid and Milan, in order to make this tour with Mme. Hastreiter.

Herr von Scarpa is a great planist, and is unexcelled as an exponent of the works of Chopin and Liszt.

These great artists will undoubtedly be greeted with a crowded house, as the music loving people of the city will attend "en

SUPT. EASTERLIN REPLIES.

He Makes Answer to the Statement of President Simon Baer.

In Tuesday's Constitution appeared an article relative to an attempt of Detroit people to collect the semi-annual interest on bonds of the Atlanta Telephone Company which they hold. In this article Mr. Simon Baer, president of the company, claims that these bonds were fraudulently issued by one J. M. Blakely, whom he re-budiates and source. pudiates, and says:
"It is only another attack of the Bell

company. That company has been fighting us ever since we started, but we are strongly entrenched and can take care of our-

ly entrenched and can take care of ourselves."

Mr. John D. Easterlin, superintendent of
the Bell Telephone Company, stated yestercay that he did not understand whether
Mr. Baer intended to imply that his company had anything to do with the fraudulent placing of the bonds, or that the attempted collection of the interest on the
bonds was inspired by his company; that,
however, Mr. Easterlin said was immaterial, that in either case he would have
known of the transaction, and he empantically denicd that his company had been
in any way connected with either transaction. Mr. Easterlin said:

"The first I knew of the attempt to collect the interest on the bonds was when I
saw the article in The Constitution. So far
as J. M. Blakely's connection with the
movement is concerned, I only know what
was published in the papers; I never met
the man or had any dealings whatever with
him. I do, however, know that at the inclipincy of the scheme and for several
months thereafter his name frequently appeared as one of the leading promoters and
as general manager of the company."

Supreme Court of Georgia.

Mr. W. F. Way was admitted to the bar ATLANTA CIRCUIT. 1. Massachusetts Benefit Life Associa-tion v. Nora Robinson. Argued. 2. John L. Conley et al. v. A. E. Buck. Submiffed. Submitted.

a Elizabeth Killian v. Mary A. Banks. 4. M. A. Garrett, ex'x, v. E. S. Morris & Oo, et al. Set for argument at the heel of the cleanity this circuit.

5. W. L. Moore et al. v. J. J. & J. E. Maddox. Argued.

Adjourned to this morning at 9 o'clock.

NO EXEMPTION FOR MOORE CHURCH

Building and Lot.

The Law Will Be Strictly Enforced

from This Time.

Committee Fails To Grant It, but Marshal's Sale Will Be Held Up-Nunnally Co. Turned Down.

The tax committee of the general council has decided another question of church parsonage exemption from taxes and stree; improvements against the church. The committee has decided to keep thoroughly within the law on this question and no exemptions which are clearly filegal will be recommended by the committee.

Yesterday the petition of the Moore Me norial church asking to be relieved o the payment of taxes on the church par onage property was ordered reported ac sonage property was ordered reported adversely by the committee. The church people, through their pastor, Dr. Holderby, petitioned to be relieved from the payment of taxes on the ground that in addition to the property being used for parsonage purposes it is also used as a free medical dispensary by the church. The poor are furnished medicines from the house.

The committee decided that no exemp furnished medicines from the house. The committee decided that no exemption could be made legally and that the

usual course would be pursued.

And consistent with the same decision the committee refused to report favorable. a petition to relieve the Masonic Temp Company from taxes on the lot of the company on North Pryor street. In the case the committee decided to noid up the sale of the property by the marshal, but no recommendation was made to relieve the property from taxes. Dr. L. P. Stephens appeared before the committee representations. resenting the Masons. He stated that the and should be relieved of taxes on that

It was decided that St. Luke's church should not be required to pay taxes on the old parsonage in the rear of the church for the reason that the house is now part of the church and is used only fo shurch purposes. Councilman Peters ex plained that the parsonage building has been connected with the church proper and that the rooms are used for various church purposes, the parsonage having been removed to another building. On this ac-

Nunnally Petition Adversed.

The ever-present petition of the Nunnally company to be allowed to run a fruit stand at the corner of Mar.etta and Broad streets was again adversely acted upon and will go back to the council so reported. This is the latest of quite a number of efforts of the company to secure the sidewalk fruit stand privileges at this point.

The committee thinks the s.dewalk is

already too narrow and that there is no room for a fruit stand on the Broad street side of Mr. Nunnally's store. The committee will report favorably an rdinance amending the city tax ordinance reducing the license fee on money lenders from \$100 to \$25 annually to go into effect

January 1st.

The committee passed upon a number of petitions and applications for free license and other matters were disposed of. Chairman Dimmock, Alderman Rice, Alderman January 1st. Hirsch, Alderman Woodward and Council-man Peters, of the committee, were pres-ent, as was City Clerk Green and Assistant License Inspector Saxe and Inspector

BEAUCHAMP SPEAKS TONIGHT. Will Deliver One of His Lectures on

the Subject of Temperance. Hon. Lou J. Beauchamp, the celebrated traveler and writer, will lecture at the Central Union mission under the auspices of the Fulton lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars tonight. The encertainment will be free and all the members of the lodges and others who are interested in temperance work are invited to attend

and hear him.

Mr. Beauchamp is from Hamilton, O., and has a reputation as a polished and eloquent speaker at all the places he has been to deliver one of his lectures. He comes to Atlanta highly recommended and will deliver a talk each night for a week while here in behalf of temperance.

TRIBUTE TO UNCLE BOB.

Treasurer Speer and Others To Visit His Grave.

A delegation of state officials and memof the legislature leave this morning the old home place of Colonel Rober U. Hardeman, in Newton county, to place some beautiful floral designs on the grave of the distinguished ex-treasurer.

The party will be headed by Mr. John A Speer, state treasurer, and some of the in-timate friends of Colonel Hardeman in life will go down. The occasion will be an im ressive one and fitting tribute will be paid to the dead hero.

Colonel Hardeman was beloved by thou-

sands of Georgians and this thoughtful re-membrance on the part of Mr. Speer and others will meet with a hearty response in the sentiment of all. The exercises a the grave will be very simple and the floral offerings will be quietly laid on the grave of the dead man in loving tribute

BARFORD SUES FOR \$20,000.

Says the Southern Railway Is Re sponsible for His Injuries. Mr. Frank R. Barford yesterday filed suit against the Southern Rallway Company to

against the Southern Railway Company to recover \$20,000 damages.

The plaintiff was a mail agent on the Southern railway, and in the wreck which occurred at Gastonia, N. C., on August 3, 1897, he claims to have been very seriously injured. He alleges that the train left the track just before reaching the station at Gastonia and that the mail car was devaled his foot was ceight between every railed, his foot was caught between some frames and he was thrown over on his back, twisting his foot out of shape and

back, twisting his foot out of enape and also seriously, injuring him.

He claims that he has lost all time since and that he was earning \$1,300 a year. He sets forth that the road was negligent; that the roadbed was out of condition; that the spikes were out of the crossiles, and that the crossiles were rotten, causing the run off. The plaintiff is represented by Arnoid

CHATHAM AS SEPARATE CIRCUIT Judge Falligant Coming to Atlanta

To Urge That Action. Savannah, Ga., December I.—(Special.)—
Judge Robert Failigant left the city tonight for Atlanta, where he goes in the interest of the measure which contemplates making a separate circuit of Chatham county. Judge Failigant has long believed that Chatham should be made a separate circuit, and he is shared in that opinion by the lawyers here, who believe the county has fully enough business to justify it, if not more. There has been some opposition in the past on the part of the country counties, but this now has disappeared, and they are anxious, it seems, to be put into a separate circuit themselves.

QUIET ELECTION THAT OF YESTERDAY

It Must Pay Taxes on the Parsonage Two Aldermen and Seven Councilmen Elected Yesterday.

THE TAX COMMITTEE SO RULES ONLY 726 VOTES WERE CAST

Listiess Interest in the Voting and No Incidents.

MASONS ASK FOR A TAX EXEMPTION M'CULLOUGH LEADS TICKET A FEW VOTES Managers and Clerks Had Little To Do and They Spent the Day

in Talk. The city election in Atlanta yesterday was in remarkable contrast to that held in Augusta. Here there was a listless interest in the voting, but few citizens exer cising the right of franchise. In Augusta

and the lightest vote known for a long time in that ward, and the hours passed slowly for the managers and clerks. No ward heelers were around the little window, and few of the candidates presented themselves during the day.

CASON'S HACK RIDE CAME HIGH--\$55

Fifth Ward. One hundred and one votes were cast in the fifth ward, and the election in that ward passed off without incident. The fifth is usually one of the hot beds of political action on election days, but yesterday there was not a ruffle to disturb the peace at the polling place on Marietta street.

Messrs. Mayson, Adair, Burns and Thom-son received the full vote—101. Messrs. La-Hatte, Hammond and Dozler received one vote less, each polling 100 votes even. Mr. Turner and Mr. McCullough each received

The managers in the fifth had a quie time, and the count of the votes was quick-ly made when the polls closed at 6 o'clock, Messrs. Bell, Parker and Sims, the managers, say the election was the quietes ever held in the fifth ward.

Sixth Ward. The election at the sixth ward was very quiet. There were just 136 votes cast, and McCullough was the only man who got all of them. The rest of the ticket received 184 votes with the exception of Adair, who got 133. The reason that McCullough got two more votes than any one else was a

Two dagoes in the fruit-stand business.

pression that everybody on the ticket was running against McCullough, and they were greatly excited for fear that some of the other candidates would defeat the man of

ing of interest happened to amuse the managers, who sat around and joked to

keep each other amused. The polls closed at 6 o'clock, and it took less than two

Seventh Ward.

In the seventh ward only thirty-six

voters came to the polls, and with the exception of one, they each voted for the full

ticket as nominated by the orimary. Alder

man Mayson was scratched once and re-ceived 35 votes. The other candidates re-

LITTLE HELEN CRUSSELLE DIES

Burns Received Tuesday Result in Her

Death.

SHE PASSED AWAY YESTERDAY

Injuries Caused Great Suffering-Phy-

sicians Worked Heroically, but

Could Not Save Her Life.

Little Helen Crusselle died yesterday

morning as a result of the burns received

ast Tuesday morning at the home of her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Crusselle, 57

All Tuesday night and yesterday morning

despite the efforts of physicians and nurses

Yesterday morning she breathed her last

after twenty-four hours of terrible suffer

The death of their child is a sad blow to

Mr. and Mrs. Crusselle and as they watch-

ed her suffer and were unable to do any-

thing for her they were wild with grief.

Helen Crusselle was three years of age

and was an unusually bright child. She

was the life and sunshine of her home and

her sweet disposition caused her to be a general favorite. Her death resulted from burns received while playing near a fire.

semetery.
The following gentlemen will act as pal-

bearers:
Messrs. Leonard White, Edward Crusselle, B. M. Hall. E. H. Frazier.

Magruder Damage Suit Is Slowly

Drawing to a Close.

The case of W. P. Magruder against the Atlanta Consolidated Street railway consolidated stree

sumed all of yesterday's session in Judge Reid's division of the city court.

Magruder claims that on June 29, 1895, he was getting off a car of the company at his residence, corner Boulevard and Ponce de Leon Circle, when the motorman started the car and threat him.

Ponce de Leon Circle, when the motorman started the car and threw him. He claims that he sustained very serious injuries. The company denies that Magruder was hurt as he claimed. Three days have been consumed with the introduction of evidence and a great number of witnesses was introduced on both sides. The defendant says that Magruder was addicted to the whisky habit.

habit.

The evidence was closed yesterday about 1 o'clock and the opening argument was had. Arnold & Arnold and T. W. Rucker represent the plaintiff, while the defendant is represented by Goodwin, Westmoreland & Hallman.

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minutes to count the ballots.

ceived 36 votes.

Merritts avenue.

CANDIDATES—	First Ward.	Second Ward.	Third Ward.	Fourth Ward.	Fifth Ward.	Sixth Ward.	Seventh Ward	Total.
For Alderman, North Side-	100	140	-110	-	99	100	00	mo
J. D. Turner	1000	140	112	69	99	134	36	713
James L. Mayson For Councilman, First Ward—	129	142	113	69	101	134	35	723
M. T. LaHatte	128	140	113	69	100	134	36	720
for Councilman, Second Ward-		38.11		- 26	1			-
Green B. Adair For Councilman, Third Ward—	129	140	113	69	101	133	36	721
E. P. Burns	129	141	113	_68	101	134	36	722
For Councilman, Fourth Ward— W. S. Thomson.	190	140	113	68	101	134	36	721
For Councilman, Fifth Ward-	1	1	110	00	101	101	1	1
D. N. McCullough	131	142	113	69	99	136	36	726
For Councilman, Sixth Ward— T. A. Hammond, Jr	130	140	113	69	100	134	36	722
For Councilman, Seventh Ward— J. S. Dozier		1		1	1			
J. S. Dozier	131	140	113	68	100	134	36	722

there was excitement and a battle royal | and customers of McCullough, came up to vote and scratched everybody on the ticket but their man. They were under the imfor votes.

The only outward evidence that there was an election in Atlanta was the fact that the salcons were closed. There was more interest in the Augusta

election right here in Atlanta than there was in the election going on in this city. The people cared nothing about the election for aldermen and councilmen in Atlanta, everybody anxiously awaited news from the Augusta contest. There was much at stake there and nothing in Atlanta.
Only 726 votes were cast in Atlanta yesterday. That was the highest number of votes received by the leader of the ticket. The remarkably small vote is a record

breaker and it is a very small proportion of the registered voters. Five thousand three hundred and eighty voters registered for the election, but all except 726 failed to go to the polls because there was no neces-sity or particular reason for it except to exercise the privilege of franchise

McCullough Leads the Ticket. Mr. D. N. McCullough, candidate for council from the fifth ward, led the ticket in yesterday's election. He received a total of 726 votes in all the seven wards. Mr. James L. Mayson, candidate for alderman from the south side, received the second highest number of votes. He received 723 votes. Three candidates each received 722 votes, Messrs. Burns, Ham-mond and Dozier, candidates from the

third, sixth and seventh wards, respec Two candidates, Messrs. Adair, of the second, and Thomson, of the fourth, re-ceived 721 votes.
Dr. J. D. Turner, candidate for alderman

from the north side, received 718 votes. The largest number of votes cast in any ward was 142. The second ward carried off the honors in this respect. The sixth polled the next highest and the first ward the third highest, the sixth polling 136 and the

The Nominees Elected Yesterday.

and they were elected to the several places as follows: Alderman, north side, Dr. J. D. Turner.

Alderman, south side, Mr. James L. May-Councilman, first ward, Mr. M. T. La-

Hatte. Councilman, second ward, Mr. Green B Adair,
Councilman, third ward, Mr. E. P. Burns,

Councilman, fourth ward, Colonel W. S. Councilman, fifth ward, Mr. D. N. Mc-Cullough.
Councilman, sixth ward, Mr. Thod A.

Hammond, Jr. Councilman, seventh ward, Captain J, S. The polls in all the wards were opened at

7 o'clock yesterday morning and closed at 6 o'clock last night. The managers and clerks had a dull time of it all day. The voters were slow in appearing and the managers and clerks spent the day exchanging jokes and discussing every ques tion of local and national and international importance.

Managers Talked and Ate. The cause of Cuba was championed, the Hawaiian annexation was discussed, Mr. McKinley's forthcoming message was talked of, the prospect of war with Spain was debated and the result predicted, the Thorn-Nack trial in New York was mentioned and the election in Augusta came in for a grea deal of argument. In discussing these and other things, among them the state of the weather on the Klondike, the election offi-

gant meals, with accompaniments, at the expense of the city.

The aldermen and councilmen elected yes terday will assume their duties on the first Monday in January next. The nex general council will consist of the follow

cers managed to pass off the day, devoting a part of the time in disposing of two ele-

The Next General Council. Mayor-Charles A. Collier. Aldermen, North side, Frank P. Rice,

W. R. Dimmock and J. D. Turner; south side, I. S. Mitchell, J. G. Woodward and Councilmen-First ward, M. P. Camp and M. T. LaHatte; second ward, R. T. Dorsey and Green B. Adair; third ward, E. S. and Green B. Adair; third ward, E. S. Lumpkin and E. P. Burns; fourth ward, George P. Howard and W. S. Thomson; fifth ward, L. P. Stephens and D. N. Mc-Cullough; sixth ward, E. C. Peters and T. A. Hammond, Jr.; seventh ward, J. S.

First Ward, Only 131 voters of the first ward felt called upon to go to the polls and cast their ballots and these did it in such a quiet and orderly manner that the fact that an

casual observer.
Only two of the candidates escaped without being scratched by the voters of the first ward. They were McCullough, of the fifth, and Dozier, of the seventh. The vot-

election was in progress all but escaped the

ing was as follows:
Turner, 128; Mayson, 129; LaHatte, 128;
Adair, 129; Burns, 129; Thomson, 129; McCullough, 131; Hammond, 130; Dozler, 131.
Third Ward. Voting in the third ward was slow, and when the count was made after the close of the polls it was found that 112 votes had been cast for J. D. Turner and 113 for the other candidates.

It was one of the quietest election days

CAME HIGH--\$550

He Came to Town and Incidentally Went | Seven of the Committee He Named Did Around To See Its Sights.

Riding with a Fair Companion, He

Lost His Purse.

Iwo Men Are Under Arrest Suspected of the Theft-A Woman Was Set Free.

B. W. Cason, of Gainesville, Fla., was robbed of about \$500 in money and his watch early yesterday morning, and L. H. Dilda and H. M. Hendricks are confined in the police barracks, having been accused of the crime. Lily Mayson was arrested, but was subsequently released for want of prosecution.

The detectives decline to discuss Hendricks's connection with the case, but he is being held while the investigation is being made. He was arrested shortly after Dilda was located.

It is thought at the barracks that Cason was drugged while he was being relieved of this money, but he says differently, and declares that, while he knew nothing of the affair, he does not believe he was given anything more than whisky.

Cason is a man of some prominence in his native city, where he has resided for some time, having gone there from Way cross, Ga., his relatives residing in the latter place. He arrived about one week ago, having come here for the purpose of buying and selling stock. He has done well, and Tuesday afternoon had about \$500 in his pocketbook. He began drinking early in the afternoon and Cecided to take in the town.

He went to many places and was finally approached by a woman, who induced him to accompany her. He went and the woman put him into a hack, which was standing near by, and drove him first out Auburn avenue. Lily Mayson is said to be he woman who induced Cason to get into the hack, while L. H. Dilda, a white man, is alleged to be the hackman.

After driving out Auburn avenue, the nack turned around and returned to the city. On the corner of Mitchell and Whitehall streets the hack stopped and the woman alighted, going in the direc-tion of Forsyth street. This was about 4 o'clock in the morning and Patrolmen Kimbrough and Willey, who are on the Whitehall street beat, suspicioned some-

hing was wrong.
Willey followed the woman, while Kimbrough kept an eye on the man. The hack driver had some little difficulty in inducing Cason to leave the hack, but finally he eeded in doing so and the man went up Whitehall street.

Cason stopped in front of the place of Wood & Beaumont's and tried to open the door. Kimbrough at once spoke to him and Cason answered that he was trying to get into the hotel. The officer asked him if he was stopping at the Grant house and Cason replied that he was. The hotel people, however, knew nothing of Cason and the register showed no such name. Cason asked to be given a room anyway, and said he had plenty of money.

He put his hand in his pocket for his money, but all of it had disappeared with

the exception of \$62. Upon looking fur-ther he found that he had been relieved of his watch also. Winey in the meantime had followed Lily Mayson to 871/2 Forsyth street. She was arrested and brought to the police barracks, where she was given into the

until the little one breathed her last loving parents and kind friends watched at her The detectives are still working on the bedside and did all in their power to recase and hope to recover the money today. Diida is strengly suspected of having receivistered to her wants and closely watched ed a good slice of the money; but so far he has stood firm and declares that he knows At one time the child rallied, then the pain overcame her and gradually she sank dricks strongly declare their innocence.

"CINCINNATI AND

FLORIDA LIMITED." Fast Train Service Between Cincinnati and Florida-A Solid Vestibuled Train Composed of Pullman Drawing Room Sleeping Cars and Through Vestibuled Coaches, Cincinnati to Jacksonville, Fla., Without Change, via the Southern Rail-

Commencing Sunday. December 5th, the Southern railway will inaugurate their Cincinnati and Florida fast train service, via Chattanooga, Atlanta and Everett. This train will be composed entirely of vestibuled Pullman drawing-room sleeping cars and day coaches, running solid Cincinnati to Jacksonville without change, and will make the fastest schedule ever operated between those cities. Leaving Cincinnati at 8:30 a. m., arriving Atlanta 19:45 p. m., and Jacksonville 8:30 a. m. At Atlanta the Kansas City and Jacksonville sleeper will be attached, also a local gleeping car for Brunswick, Ga., which will be placed in the union station at 9 o'clock p. m. for the convenience of Atlanta passengers. The northbound schedule of this train will enable passengers to leave Atlanta in the morning and reach Cincinnati at 7:10 p. m. the same day, a daylight ride through Tennessee and Kentucky. burns received while playing near a fire. Her dress became ignited and before help reached her she had been terribly mutilated by the flames. The physicians did all in their power to aid her recovery, but she passed away after much suffering.

The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 57 Merritts avenue, and the funeral services will be conducted by Rev. W. W. Landrum. The interment will be at Oak.and cemetery. ARGUMENT BEGUN YESTERDAY.

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DELBRIDGE ATTACKS HIS OWN CARD

Not Serve.

HE SAW THE LOSING SIDE THAT IS WHAT HE NOW WRITES

Some of the Gentlemen Delbridge Named Are Very Indignant.

MINUS HIS WATCH AND MONEY, HE APPEARS | DECLARE THEY WERE NOT EVEN PRESENT

The Committee Vindicating Delbridge

Was Furnished the Press by

the Defendant. Upon information furnished by Charles L. Delbridge, The Constitution published on last Monday morning a statement that he had been vindicated at the hands of a committee of friends who had called at

his office and examined the evidence, both written end orel.

The list of the committee was furnished by Mr. Delbridge in a signed card, in

which he said: "Now, for the sake of showing the peo-"Now, for the sake of showing the people at lage my absolutely spotless record in this matter, a few days ago I had the following friends meet in my office: Messrs. C. K. Maddox, Linton Hopkins, C. L. Pettigrew, George S. Lowndes, Dr. R. H. Bell, George Richards, Jarvey Hatcher, Jr., James A. Austin, Professor Ernest. West, Wharton O. Wilson, Edward P. Wood and others."

On Monday The Constitution was

West, Wharton O. Wilson, Edward P. Wood and others."

On Monday The Constitution was furnished with the following card from Mr. Delbridge:

"Editor Constitution—In your paper to-day you publish A list of names of gentlemen who met in my office and state that as a whole board heard and saw the evidence submitted by me. This is a mistake. Only four gentlemen composed the committee who carried my proposition to Mr. Motes, and then again only a small number composed the last committee who heard and passed upon any of the evidence submitted by me. Mr. Linton Hopkins or Mr. E. P. Wood did not serve on either of the committees and Mr. Harvey Hatcher, Jr., served only upon the first. So far as I know, neither of these gentlemen examined any evidence submitted by me.

"C. L. DELBRIDGE."

Yesterday two additional cards were received at The Constitution office, each bearing the signature of Mr. Delbridge

bearing the signature of Mr. Delbridge and each denying that the gentlemen named in the card he furnished Sunday night had served upon the committee and had examined any of the evidence which he says they examined in the first state-ment he furnished for publication. The cards received from Mr. Delbridge are as follows:

"Editor Constitution—Dear Sir: At the request of Mr. George S. Lowndes I wish to state that he was only upon the commit-tee that carried my proposition to Mr. Motes, as he says, with the hope of harmonizing a controversy between two of his fellow citizens. Mr. Lowndes was no upon the committee who examined the evidence submitted by me.

"C. L. DELBRIDGE."

"C. L. DELBRIDGE."

"Editor Constitution—Dear Sfr: Mr.
James W. Austin and Mr. C. L. Pettigrew were never appointed upon either of
the committees and made no report and
Mr. Wharton O. Wilson wishes it stated
that he examined no evidence and consequently had nothing to do with the
proposition or finding of either committee.
Very respectfully, C. L. DELBRIDGE."

Messrs, C. K. Maddox, Ernest West,
George Richards and Dr. R. H. Bell, the
four remaining members of the original four remaining members of the original littee as named by Mr. Delbridge in

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In Currants

Cleaned, "ready for immediate use," 10, 121/2 and 15c pound. Uncleaned at Sc pound.

Lemon and orange peel at 15c per pound.

Sliced lemon and orange peel and citron at 15c per package. Dates 10c pound. Figs. 10, 15 and 20c pound. Pure ground spices.

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further temporarily, investments mad-the basis of 5%c ought to ultimately found most remunerative.

Paine, Murphy & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

The Liverpool and Port Markets.

Liverseel, December 1—12:18 p. m.—Uottem. spet demand moderate with priess unchanged; middling splands 34; sales 8,000 bales; American 7,400; spe-ulaties and export 1,000; receipts 31,000; American 25.800.

Futures closed irregular.

New York, December 1 — Cotton quies; middling uplands 5 19-16; middling gulf 6 1-16; net receipts 263 gross 8,301; sales —— bales; stock 91.088.

203 gross 8,301; sales — bales; stock 91.083.

Galveston. December 1—Cotton firm: middling
53. receipts 16,301; sales 707; stock 233,151.

Norfolk. December 1—Cotton steady; middling
53; receipts 5.808; sales 1,231; stock 72,008.

daitimore. November 1—Cotton nominal; middling
53; receipts 4.441; sales now; stock 18,658.

Boston, December 1—Cotton quiet; middling
53-16; net receipts 2,814; gross receipts 5,225;
sales none; stock

sales none; stock——, Wilmington, December 1—Cotton firm; middling 6½; receipts 2,222; sales none; stock 41,664.
Philadelphia, December 1—Cotton firm; middling 6 1-16; net recolpts none; sales none; stock 160.

New Orleans. December 1 — Cotton easy; mid-lling 54: receipts 7.599; sales 6.300; stock 346,581.

Memphis, December 1—Cotton steady: middlink; receipts 5 008; sales 4,000; stock 126,412.

Augusta, November 1 — Cotton steady: middling 7-16; receipts 1,635; safes 311; stock 47,468.

Charleston, December 1— Cotton quiet; middling 5 8-16; receipts 4.708; sales none; stock 52,449. GRAIN, PROVISIONS, ETC.

Flour, Grain and Meal.

Flour, Grain and Meal.

Atlanta, December 1 - Flour, first patent, \$6.00; second patent 5.00; straight 4.75; faley 4.65; extra family 4.30. Corn, white 44c; mixed 45c. Oats, white 55c; mixed 32c. Texas rustproof 37.688. ttya, Georgia 85c. Hay, No. 1 timothy large bales 80c; small hales 75c; No. 2 timothy small bales 70c. Meal plain 47c; bolted 42c. Wheat bran. large sacks 73c; small sacks 80c. Shocks 95c. Stock meal 90c. Cotton seed meal 95c per 100 bs; lu a \$6.60 per ton Peas 60c6\$1.25 per hushel, ac ording to kind and quality. Grius \$2.00.

quality. Grius 2:00.

New York, December 1—Flour, unchanged. Wheat spot weak: No. 2 red 9:4; options opened, steady advanced suarply, but finally collapsed and closed 4 %-10 lower; December 96%; January 98%. Corn. spot steady; No. 2, 334; options opened steady advanced but subsequently eased off and closed practically unchanged; December 33%. May 344. Oats. spot steady; No. 2, 26;4634; options active and firmer closing at 4c advance; December 26; February 27; May 29%

St. Louis, December 1-Flour unsettled. Wheat

2309-7: December 203495: May 2236.
Chicago, December 1—Flour barely steady: No. 2 spring wheat 93691; No. 2 red 961464; No. 2 corn 26; No. 2 yellow 2634.
No. 2 cats 2136. No. 2 white f. o. b. 2334. No. 3 white f. o. b. 234624. No. 2 rye 454.
Cheinnet Dacember 1—Flow 454.

Cincinnati, December 1—Flour dull. Wheat dull; No. 2 red — Corn steady; No. 2 mixed 271465. Oats quie; No. 2 mixed 233.

The Post's Financial Cable.

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New York, December 1.—The Evening Post's London' financial cablegram says: The stock markets were quiet today but firm on the whole, a pleasant feature being the rather small rise in Americans at the close. New York responded to the improvement, and was bidding for leading shares. Grand Trunks were also strong on the excellent monthly revenue statement. Great interests is shown here on the Speyer & Co.'s purchase of the new 4 percent Rock Island bonds, and there are many applications on this side to join the syndicate.

The Paris bourse was firm. The settlement there is going smoothly and exchange

The Live Stock Market.

Country Produce.

Atlanta, Dec. 1 — Eggs 19@20. Butter, western creamery 20@23c; fancy Tonnessee 15@20c; choice 12%c; Georgia 12%g15c. Live vooltry turkeys 86@c; nens 23@25c; spring chickens, large 18@20c; smail 12%g14c; docks, puddle 48@20c; Peking 25@27%c. Irish potatoes, per bushel 85@90c. Sweet potatoes 50@40c per bu. Honey, dull; strained 6@7c; in the comb 1@8c. Onlons, ne erop, 35c@\$1.00 per bu; \$2.25@2.50 per bbl.

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Futures epened quiet with demand poor.

January and February...
February and March
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April and May

TONE YERY BUOYANT

Prices Tended Steadily Upward All Day on the Stock Exchange.

NET GAINS EXCEED A POINT

Strength Developed First in Sugar and Gradually Spread Through the Market.

New York, December 1.—With only insignificant interruptions prices tended steadily upward all day on the stock exchange, closing at about the highest, with a very buoyant tone. Net gains exceed a point in nearly all stocks. The advances at the opening were trivial and trading was not very extine but as the day advanced the opening were trivial and training was not very active, but as the day advanced the scope of the speculation broadened and assumed a more aggressive and confident tone. The strength of the market developed first in Lugar and spread gradually assumed a more aggressive and confident tone. The strength of the market developed first in Lugar and spread gradually through the market, separate stocks being advanced sharply one after the other before the whole market took up the movement. Missouri Pacific, American Tobacco, Michigan Centrai, Illinois Central and Cotton Oli preferred were among the earliest, affected in the order named. Later the coalers developed strength, and it was not until the closing hour that the grangers and the market generally responded in any marked degree. Some of the stocks which developed most activity and strength yesterday were somewhat neglected today, while the rest of the market rose to a proportionate level. The bear element did not yield without a struggle, and was not driven to cover till late in the day, when the scramble of the shorts materially asked the rise. There was no news of importance during the day, the buillish sentiment on the exchange being rather a crystallizing of several days' impressions. The successful conclusion of the Rock Island refunding scheme continued to be much talked of, as did the favorable railroad statements for October. Burlington especially was interpreted more favorably than yesterday, the earnings reported being exceeded only by those of September of this year. The small excess shown over the earnings of October last year is due to the fact that last year's earnings for inat month were exceptionally large. The almost total subsidence of apprehension over the Cuban question also had its effect. There was some awakening of outside interest manifested in the buying through commission houses. This was not on a large scale, however, and the day's rise was for the most part due to the operations of a powerful combined interest. The stock of southern railroads showed a notable tendency to lag. The October Statement of the Louisville and Nashville probably had its influence on this group, showing, as it did, a heavy decrease in gross earnings, combined with an increase in operating expenses,

ble advances. Total sales \$3,600,000.
United States 4s advance ½ bid.
Total sales of stock today were 390,400 shares, including Atchison preferred 5,729.
Chicago, Burlington and Quincy 27,623.
Louisville and Nashville 10,650, Manhattan 10,820, Missouri Pacific 17,926. New Jersey Central 3,930, New York Central 5,224, Northern Pacific 4,210, Northern Pacific preferred 13,543, Northwestern term 4,995, Rock Island 25,189, St. Louis and San Francisco 2d preferred 3,360, St. Paul 46,548, St. Paul and Omaha 5,179, Union Pacific trust recepts 5,023, American Cotton Oil 3,870, American Tobacco 18,855, Bay State Gas 3,890, People's Gas 16,645, Consolidated Gas ex-dividend 1,325, Sugar 67,830, Sugar preferred 1,480, Western Union 5,700, Chicago Great Western 8,245.
Money on call easy at 1½@2; last loan 1½@1¾ per cent; closing offered at 1½ per cent, prime mercantile paper 3@3½ per cent.
Sterling exchange casy, with actual bus-

cent.
Sterling exchange easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.85\(\pi\)@4.86 for demand and at \$4.83\(\pi\)4.83\(\pi\) for 60 days; posted rates \$4.84\(\pi\)4.87; commercial bills

ver certificates 591/2@60. Silver cert ficates 59%@00.

Bar silver 59%c.

Mexican dollars 46%c.

Government bends firm.

State bends dull.

Ra'lroad bends strong. Following are the clering bids

	do preferred	2856	
	Faltimore & Ohio	12	de preferred
	Canada Pacific		St. Paul & Omaha.
ê		80%	do preferred
ċ	Canada Southern	54%	St. P. & M. M
١	Central Pacific	11	Fouthern Pacific
ì	Chesapeake & Ohlo.	21%	
•	Chicago & Alton	161	do preferred
	C., B. & Q	80.6	Texas & Pacific
	Chi. & E Ill	52 kg	Union Pacific U. P., Don. & Guif.
	C. C. C. & St. L	34%	C. P., Den. & Gulf.
	do do pref	78	Wabash
	Del. & Hudson	110	do preferred
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į	Erie. (new)	15	
ì	do 1st preferred	36%	Adams Express
i	Fort Wayne	169%	American Express.
ļ	Great Northern pref	130	United States
١	Hocking Valley	514	Wells Fargo
	Illinois Central	102%	MISCELLANE
	Lake Erie & West'n.	18	A. Cot. Oil
	co preferred	69	do preferred
	Lake Shore	173	American Spirits
	Louisville & Nash	55%	do preferred
	Manbattanla	10256	Am. Tobacco
ļ	Met. Traction	116%	do preferred
1	Michigan Central	103	Peoples Gas
ļ	Minp. & St. L	26 h	Consolidated Gas
ļ	do do 1st pref	87	C. C. Co
	Missouri Pacific	31%	Cole. F. & Iron
	Mobile & Ohlo	251	do preferred
	Mo., K. & T		Gen. Electrie
	do preferred	84%	IllipoisSteel
	Chicago, Ind. & L	816	La Clede Gas
	do preferred	29	Lead
	N. J Central	87	do preferred
	N. Y. Central	10786	Nat'l Lin. Oil
	N. Y. Chi. & St. L	1356	Pacific Mail
	do dolstpref.	73	Pullman Palace
	de do 2d pref	38	Silver Certificates.
	Norfolk & West	13	Stnd. Rope & Twin
	North American Co.	414	Conce Rope & Twin
	North American Co.	1054	Sugar

Hocking Valley	514	Wells Fargo 110
Hocking Valley Illinois Central Lake Erie & West'n.	102%	MISCELLANEOUS.
Co preferred	69	A. Cot. Oil 234 do preferred 76%
lakeShore	173	American Spirits 736
Louisville & Nash	50%	do preferred 19
Manhattanla	10246	
Met. Traction	116%	do preferred 110
Michigan Central	103	Peoples (4aa 9146
Minn. & St. L	26 h	Consolidated Gas 1865
Missouri Pacific	314	C. C. Co 175
Mobile & Ohio	2512	do preferred 30
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Chicago, Ind. & L, do preferred N. J Central	816	La Clede Gas
do preferred	29	Lead 34
N. J Central	87	do preferred 103
N. Y. Central N. Y. Chi. & St. L	107%	Nat'l Lin. Oll 16
N. Y. Chi. & St. L	1398	Pacine Mail 30
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84% do 2ds...... 100 West Shore 4s..... 63 Virginia centuries... co deferred..... Swanson & Co.'s Stock Letter

The opening of the stock market was at tended by a rush to buy Rock Island and Sugar, after which a series of trading fluctuations was experienced.

Sugar sold up 1½ per cent and subsequently lost a point, while Rock Island rustained a similar loss after opening up 58 per cent. rustained a similar loss after opening up 18 per cent.

The general list made fractional gains, except Pennsylvaia, which reacted from the opening under foreign selling.

People's Gas was heavy and Manhattan weakened, despite a strong start.

The market was wholly professional, but held at a firm tone as the session progressed. Purchasing orders in sugar carried the price rapidly up to 13%. The higher level invited profit taking, and the

gain was soon lost only to recover again the best prices of the morning.

The general market displayed little feature and moved narrowly in sympathy with Sugar, but later showed a hardening tendency, the most notable advances being scored in Missouri Pacific and Tobacco, 1½ per cent each, and Michigan Central, Northwest, Illinois Central and Cotton Oil common 2 points.

Trading became more active at the higher level. Sugar remained steady on a large volume of business. In the last hour transactions were not very large, but the strength was maintained and the close was firm.

Southern Exchange Stock Letter.

Atlanta, Ga., December 1.—More indica-tions were visible today that the profes-sional machinery for a decrease has been set at work. There were also some indi-cations that an outside speculative in-terest had been attached, for a good deal of today's buying stocks came from con-servative commission busses. of today's buying stocks came from conservative commission houses.

The movement was quite general
throughout the market. It affected not
only the standard railway shares, but the
industrials, and in this respect was open
to some suspicion, for there is nothing in
the present trade situation or in the immediate prospect to warrant any material
higher market values for such properties.
While the day's movement in Sugar and
Gas was of a character to awaken skepticism in the prudent mind, the rise of
western and southern railroad shares had
a more obvious and legitimate basis. It
was encouraged by the earnings and by
the very heavy grain movement to market
and from the seaboard ports.

The Rock Island efunding scheme,
though foreshadowed months ago, was duly
used to stimulate sentiment, and it was
plain enough that, while the buying was
purely speculative, sellers were in no particular hurry to meet the bids.

STOCK.	Openiag	High.	Low.	Wednesday's Closing Blds.	Tuesday's Glosing Bids.
Atchisen	1236	12%	124	12%	12%
do. preferred	187%	28%	27%	294	27%
Am'n Sugar Red'g	34	35%	137%	1394	137%
C. B. & Q	95	96%	9474	9614	334
Chicago Gas	9314	9418	924	9116	9234
Canada Southern.	544	54%	5434	8456	54
D I. & W	158	154	153	164	150
Erie	14%	1516	1456	15	1436
Edison Gen. Elec.	33	34	33	3314	324
Amer'n Tobacco	8196	8314	8116	83%	81%
Lake Shere		. 1×		172	170
National Lead	3316	3474	331	34	3334
L. & N	5434	5006	5434	55%	543
Missouri Pacific	29%	31%	29%	31%	291
Baltimore & Ohio.	*****			12	12
Tenn. Coal & Iron	2434	2516	24%	25	2434
Northwestern	122%	124	122%	12374	122%
couthern Railway	294	30%	29%	80	834
North'n Pac. pref.	5534	56%	0550	5636	20% 65%
New York Central	107	107%	107	10736	107
Omaha	77	79	7736	79	77%
Pacific Mail	29%	80%	29%	30	295
Reading	22	223	22	2216	2174
Rock Island	88%	90	88%	89%	88%
St. Paul	924		9236	9416	923
Union Pacific	244	24%	24%	24%	*2434
Am'n Cotton Oll	8714	89	8714	2316	214
Am'n Spirits Co	734	736	734	736	874
U. S. Leather Pref	63	6316	63	6314	613
Manhattan.	102	1034	101%	10246	1015

Atlanta	Clearing Ho	ise Statement
Darwin G.	Jones, Manag	
Monday.		1897. 1896 23,820.88 \$352,522
Tuesday	2	13,172.97 230,403
Wednesday	2	61,125.29 285,688

Total..\$798,118.65 \$868,614.98 Clearings Elsewhere.

Clearings Elsewhere.

New York, December 1.—Clearings, \$132,372,564; balances, \$7,503,552.

Boston, December 1.—Clearings, \$18,009,382; balances, \$1,710,191.

Philadelphia, December 1.—Clearings, \$13,682,605; balances, \$2,069,985.

Baltimore, December 1.—Clearings, \$3,239,-079; balances, \$337,620.

Cincinnati, December 1.—Money 24,66 per cent, New York exchange 300,40c. Clearings \$2,331,150.

St. Louis, December 1.—Clearings, \$5,520,-098; balances \$825,017; money 568 per cent; New York exchange 25c, premium.

Chicago, December 1.—Clearings \$21,206,-827. New York exchange 40c premium.

Posted rates \$4,846,87.

New Orleans, December 1.—Clearings \$1,704,454. New York exchange bank par; ccmmercial \$1,25 per 1,000 discount.

Memphis, December 1.—Clearings \$404,205; balances \$45,699. New York exchange selling at par.

The Public Debt Statement.

Washington, December 1.—The December statement of the public debt shows that a the close of business November 30, 1897, the public debt, less cash in the treasury amounted to \$1,009,226,466, a decrease since October 30th of \$11,338,125. This decrease is accounted for by an increase in the cash due to the deposit of an installment of the proceeds of the sale of the government's interest in the Union Pacific railroad. But for this transaction the cash in the trasury would have been \$771.450 less than last month. The debt is recapitulated as follows:

month. The debt is 1847,365,629; debt on which interest has ceased since maturity \$1.331,280; debt bearing no interest \$381,193, 125. Total \$1,229,890,025. 125. Total \$1,229,890,025.

This amount, however, does not include \$579,920,933 in certificates and treasury notes outstanding, which are offset by an equal amount of cash in the treasury.

The cash in the treasury is classified as

follows: Gold, \$194.089.260.

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Silver, \$507,656,382.
Paper, \$105,756.181.
Bonds, disbursing officers' balances, etc., \$38,907,251.

Total \$846,409,076, against which there are

Foreign Finances.

London, December 1.—4 p. m. closing—Consols for money 112½ ex-interest, consols for the account 112½ ex-interest, consols for the account 112½ ex-interest, Canadian Pacific 83½. Effe 15, Eric first preferred 36½, Illinois Central 10½, Mexican ordinary 16%, St. Paul common 95½, Ne v York Central 110, Pennsylvania 58½, Reeding 11½, Mexican Central new 4s 68, Atchson 13, Louisville and Nashville 56%.

Bar silver dull at 27½d per ounce, Money 2½@2½ per cent.

The rate of discount in the open market for short bills 2 15-16 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months bills 2 15-16 per cent.

Gold bars are quoted at 76s 6%d.

Gold is quoted at Buenos Ayres today at 173-20; at Lisbon 47½; at Rome 104.92

Berlin, December 1.—On the boerse today business was well disposed in all departments. Italian securities were animated and harder in anticipation of a favorabe financial showing by the Italian minister of finance in his budget report. Mexican securities rose sharply, apparent y on the bears covering. Bank shares attracted attention, the features being Deutsche bank shares, on the completion of an electrical trust company under the control of Siemens-Halkse Company.

Exchange on London 20 marks 37 pfennigs for checks.

or checks.

American securities opened better, improved somewhat, then eased off and reproved somewhat, then eased off and remained quiet. Trading was mostly professional. The market closed with a general light demand, but firm.

Paris, December 1.—4 p. m.—Three per cent rentes 103 francs 72½ centimes for the account. Exchange on London 25 francs 21½ centimes for checks.

Washington, December 1.—Today's statement of the conditions of the trea ury Available cash balance \$220,663,559; gold reserve \$157,363,851.

The following are the	bld and asked quotations:
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RAILR	OAD BONDS
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RAILR	OAD STOCKS

3 TO 5 POINTS LOWER

Each Point Was Bitterly Contested and Net Decline Is Small.

MORE DISPOSITION TO SELL

Receipts Were Comparatively Light but the South Was Offering Cotton More Freely-Trade Fair.

Official closing quotations for spot cot Atlanta—Very weak; middling 5%c.
Liverpool—Demand moderate; middling

New York-Dull; middling 5 13-16c. New Orleans—Easy; middling 5%c. Savannah—Quiet; middling 5 3-16c. Galveston—Firm; middling 5%c. Norfolk—Steady; middling 5½c. Mobile—Quiet; middling 5 3-16c. Memphis—Steady; middling 5%c. Augusta—Steady; middling 5 7-16c. Charleston-Quiet; middling 5 3-16c. The following is the statement of the rec sipts, ship

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Faturday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	1122 1194 1501 1013	1512 966 1489 699	1489 2500 578 1915	1561 2022 213 8228	14459 13153 14081 13279	971: 870: 978: 725:
Total	4880	4686	6837	7024		

New York, December 1.—By Associated Press: There was a dull market for cotton at an advance of 1 point, developed on the first call, after which changes were very narrow, the most active positions being confined to a range of 35% points with the market at the close fairly steady at the lowest level of the day, a net decline of 254 points, Sellers were disposed to be conservative on fears that bearish crop conditions may have been over-discounted in present exceptionally low prices. There was practically no outside speculative interests in cotton today. In the afternoon the market was weakened by larger offerings of cotton from the south, Leading local commission houses were seen to be quietly buying on all weak intervals today, and gradually absorbing the offerings of weaker parties.

The following were the closing quotations for cot-on futures in New York vesterday:

MONTHS	Opening	Highest.	Lowest	Wedn'sday's	Tuesday's
December	5 63 5 70 5 74	5 65 5 70 5 74	5 61 5 65 5 69	5 61-62 5 65-66 5 69-71	5 64-65 5 69-70 5 73-74
March	5 79	5 79 5 84	5 74	5 74 5 79-80	5 78-79 5 83-84
June	2 89	5 94		5 84 5 89-90	
August	5 98 6 02 6 04	6 02	5 93 5 99 6 00		
October					6 02-04

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RECEIPTS EXPORTS

Closes quiet and steady ; sales 82,800 bales

The Dry Goods Market.

New York, December 1.—The dry goods market shows signs of increase of interest in some quarters, although the tone of the market shows no advance of moment. The reductions in staple calicos on the part of Merrimac's and Americans has followed by a reduction of Algonquan indigo prints, and there is a stimulation of interest in nearly all lines of fancy cottons, printed and woolen goods. This is not, however, true of staple cottons in any grade, not print cloths. In prints the latest price to be made in indigoes shows a 2½c reduction in Algonquin indigo blues. This is in conformity with the market as made by the Merimac's and American blues. Trade in these lines has not been stimulated to any great extent by the steady quotations, and buyers still claimor for concessions. The trade in spring fancies both in prints and in organdies and other shear goods, has been quite fair. Ginghams are active and napped fabrics show satisfactory conditions in the main The Dry Goods Market.

Hubbard Bros. & Co.'s Cotton Letter New York, December 1.—The feature of the day has been the selling here and in Liverpeol by southern buyers woo, having closed the November shipments, are apparently finding easier markets. Receipts at the interior towns have snown an increase. These sales by exporters and southern buyers have been absorbed by the continued investment demand for northern account which is in evidence at even rount count. Which is in evidence at e.e. ro.midecline. It looks today as though this market would feel some pressure from ctop through the partial withdrawil of the spinners from the Liverpool market. Our icc riders have been disappointed at the fa when the demand in Liverpool was active, but they are not prepared to be short of cotton at this price. Exposers and the south were sellers to the close, which was herely steady at the lowest price. Enging on a scale continued throughout the afternoon.

Riordan & Co's Cotton Letter.

New York, December 1.—(Special.)—The tendency of the cotton market was steadily downward today. Each point, however, was bitterly contested and the net decline is small. Liverpool was practically unchanged this morning, and our market opened at last night's closing figures, January selling on the first call at 5.70. Liverpool sent some selling orders here, the bears plucked up sufficient courage to raid a little and people with large spot connections sold heavily. Against this the buying was by the commission houses. There was decidedly more disposition to sell than for some time past, and only the excellent demand prevented a break. Receipts were comparatively light, but the south was offering cotton more freely. January declined to 5.65 and closed at that figure with the tone of the market barely steady. Unless receipts become moderate in the near future, lower prices are probable. Riordan & Co's Cotton Letter.

The Markets Reviewed. The Markets Reviewed.

New York, December 1. Stu it & Faddock, in their market review, say: More than 400,000 shares were traded in today, and the course of prices wis unward. Buying is regarded better than any preceeting day since this advance begin. All the built leaders are believed to have increased their fricings of stock, notably Flower & Co., Standayl Oil interests, Wash Connor, Housman and Keene. Their orders were chiefly in Rock Island, Sugar, Missouri, Facinic and other favorites, Par is talked for Rock Island and 1.75 for Sugar. The market opened quiet and without feature in London. Some good orders reached the granger and Sugar crowds and this caused heavy island and 1.15 for Sugar. The market opened quiet and without feature in London. Some good orders reached the granger and Sugar crowds and this caused heavy covering by prominent bears. In the afternoon the specialities developed activity and strength, and the whole market grew huoyant, the best prices generally being made in the last hour with the close firm. The biggest advances were scored in Omaha, Northwest, Rock Island, Burlington, St. Paul, Western Union, Manhattar, Tolacco, Metropolitan Street Railway, Consolidated Gas, Jersey Central, People's Gas, Sugar and Cotton Oil. United Stales Rubber directors have declared a dividend of 2 per cent on preferred stock, and state it is their intention to declare a further dividend on preferred out of the net sarnings of the year ending March 31st, if such curnings justify a further dividend.

Traders got under December wheat and boosted it 2c from the lowest. At the same time they sold May. This movement is believed to mark a change in tactics of ma-

nipulators, and hereafter May will be the popular option. Upon the curb after the close May was 201/c with puts for tomorrow at 89% c bid and calls 91c bid. Shorts were buyers of May corn, and strength comes from premium on cash. There was light trade in provisions. Offers of Decomber stuff were absorbed and taken mostly by packers. November receipts were so large that Chicago talent is wary of bull side.

Started with an Advance, Which Was Later More Than Lost.

EXPORT DEMAND LACKING

side. Cotton closed barely steady at 1 to 4 points net decline. Spots were unchanged. It is argued that our supplies are so moderate and consumptive demand for American cotton has reached such proportions that any material curtailment in acreage in view of contingencies of the cotton growing season, will henceforth be found of greater significance than in the past, therefore, even should the market decline still further temporarily, investments made on Corn, Oats, Provisions Were All Dull and Price Changes Were Insignificant.

Chicago, December 1.—Wheat was firm today, but very dull until about twenty minutes from the close of the session, when it started on a decline that left it have lower for May than it closed yesterday. Lack of export demand was apparently the weakening feature finally. Corn, oats and provisions were all dull and price changes at the close were insignificant. Paine, Murphy & Co.'s Cotton Letter.

Atlanta, December 1.—Liverpool showed a downward tendency from the opening, with clossing prices irregular, but a shade weaker. The influences there was our record-oreaking receipts of yesterday and the small demand for spots. Sales were \$,000 bales with receipts 31,000. New York opening prices showed little change, but the reports from different ports showed a continuation of the liberal movement. The actual receipts were 49,100, against 36,462 same day last year. The first call showed some good buying, one Broadway house taking considerable, said to be for a new faction. But the avalanche of liquidating orders overcame the buying, and prices declined from 3 to 5 points with feeble rallies in the last hour. Final prices were again lower, clossing quotations showing a barely steady market with net loss of from 3 to 5 points upon the day. There is some attention given to the movement to curvail next year's acreage, and in certain quarters it is thought the speculative public will use this as a coming feature. The current market will undoubtedly be controlled in the Immediate future by receipts, as the spot demand even at the present low prices is too apathetic to be considered. Sales today 143,900.

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The misunderstanding of an order to buy December wheat came near to demoralizing the market at the opening. A commission firm's order to their broker to buy 25,000 bushels December wheat was misconstrued, and the wheat was instead offered for sale, resulting in some other small lots coming on the market, and an almost immediate decline to 94c as against 95%c at the close yesterday. The mistake was soon discovered and the buying of not more than 50,000 bushels put the price up again to 96%c in quicker time than it took to go down. May started unchanged at 91%c, but the effect of the disorganization in December caused, a temporary depression in May to 90%c. It quickly recovered, however, and in the course of the forenoon it reached 91%c. The cold weather continued throughout the winter wheat region and the fields were still uncovered. The St. Louis crop experts evidently thought the trials that the plant was being subjected to were more than it could live through, as several orders came from there to buy July wheat. The future in consequence was relatively stronger than May. Minneapolis and Duluth receipts once more time week showed some falling off compared with the previous week's, but were still discouragingly heavy as against those of a year ago. Those places reported 715 cars, against 762 last week and 16 the like week of 1896. Chicago received 115 cars, against only 34 last year, butsh.pments hence were 24,000 bushels. The Atlantic port clearances were equal to 575,000 bushels in wheat and flour. The western primary market receipts were 1.009,000 bushels compared with only 504,000 bushels last year. Zero weather prevailed in and around Duluth, so that it was considered very questionable if any further shipments would be made by lake from there this season. This was delivery day, but notwithstanding this fact there was hardly any wheat turned over, and it is the belief that little will be until navigation is closed. L but notwithstanding this fact there was hardly any wheat turned over, and it is the belief that little will be until navigation is closed. Liverpool opened unchanged for all futures but May, which was %d higher, but it closed stronger at from %to id higher, March, the active trading month, being the strongest. Notwithstanding the rather encouraging situation, the trade was so light and the active local traders so reluctant to retire with any unfinished bus ness on their hands that in their efforts to dispose of long wheat they had accumulated during the forencon's rise, the market slipped from under them and the price of May went down from 91% to 90%c about fitteen minutes from the close. New York reported only ten boat loads for export. The lack of export demand started the unloading, which was rendered difficult by the almost utter lack of buyers, and prices slipped down very easily. May closed at 90%c900%c. December behaved better after its morning's symmastics and closed at \$0%c, an advance of %c.

Corn was firm and was very little affect-

Corn was firm and was very little affected by either the early strength or closing weakness of wheat. The better feeling was due in a measure to the belief that the December liquidation is about over and the spread today narrowed some. There were no deliverles on December contracts. Cables were firm and exports were good, amounting to 891,000 bushels. Receipts 319 cars. Country offerings were moderate, but the weather is favorible for the movement. Trade was unimportant. May ranged from 294 to 294c, closing a shade higher at 294,60294c.

Up to a short time before the close of the market oats were arm, active and higher. December especially showing strength. The elevator buying, firm cash market and sympathy with wheat all helped in advancing the price. Deliverles were small, which was also a factor. The late break in wheat started May Iquidation, however, and the market lost all of its early advance, selling at the bottom at the close. Receipts were 255 cars. May ranged from 224 to 225c, the latter being the final price. December maintained its strength and closed %c higher at 103c.

The market for provisions was for a time smothered under the enormous receipts of hogs today. This feature, coupled with rather free deliverles of pork and lard on December contracts, caused lower prices early. At the decline the demand improved, the market slowly rallied and closed fairly steady. There was a moderate shipping demand. Corn was firm and was very little affectlower prices early. At the decime the demand improved, the market slowly rallied and closed fairly steady. There was a moderate shipping demand. At he close January pork was 5c lower at \$8.15, January lard a shade lower at \$4.20, and January ribs unchanged at \$4.20.

Estimated receipts Thursday: Wheat 170 cars, corn 435, oats 330, hogs 47,000, Open. High. Low. Close.

94% 96% 94 96% 92% 92% 91% 91% 91% 91% 90% 90% May. Oats No. 2— 25¼ 25% 29% 29¼

ment there is going smoothly and exchange is rising on the purchase of foreign stocks in London.

The Bank of England is again beginning to borrow from the market. This fact is not generally known here.

The Berlin market was steady. Articles. Receipts. Shipments.
Flour, barrels. 12,000 21,000
Wheat, bushels. 171,030 225,000
Corn, bushels. 423,000 318,000
Oats, bushels. 574,000 410,000 25,000

Swanson & Co.'s Grain Letter.

The Live Stock Market.

Chicago, December 1.—Heavy receipts of cattle caused a weak and lower warket today. A few Chr.stmas beeves sold at recent prices, and \$5.50 was paid for 49 extra fine black polled Angus steers, but the general run of cattle sold off at 16,05c. Trade was fairly active within a range of \$3,75,05.59 for common to prime beef steers with sales largely at \$4.30,05.10. The offerings included a good many choice cattle as well as great numbers of half-fat steers. Corn-fed Texas cattle were in good supply and sold freely, and there was a rather animated trade in bulls, cows and heifers at the decline, not many cows going below \$2. Calves were unchanged with sales mostly at \$50,650 for good lots and gold milkers and springers were not any lower. The stocker and feeder trade was very good, and prime feeders were salable at \$4.400,4.50.

Hogs opened at a decline of 5,000 per 100 pounds and the day's business was largely done at a drop of 10c, the bulk of the sales being at \$3.25,03.40

There were very choice hogs sold at \$3.40,000, and prime feeders were salable at \$4.20,000, and prime feeders were salable at \$4.50,000, and prime feeders were for hour of feedom, but prices were off about 30c for sheep and 15,000 for inferior lots up to \$4,000,455 for fair 10 choice 30cks, western feed sheep going at \$4.100,455. Lambs were in demand at \$3.75,000 for inferior lots up to \$4,000,455 for fair 10 choice 30cks, western feed sheep going at \$4.100,455. Lambs were in demand at \$3.75,000 hogs 53,000, sheep 19,000.

Country Produce. Swanson & Co.'s Grain Letter.

Atlanta, December 1.—The wheat market opened irregularly Wednesday. May started steady and unchanged at 91%c, but the December future was weak and showed an initial loss of a cent, starting at 94%c. It sold down quickly to 94c, under heavy offerings by brokers, apparently operating for the December clique, who, however, sold comparatively little at the low price. Some demand was encountered and an advance which fairly rivaled the decline in rapidity ensued. The up-turn carried the price up to 96%c with hardly a stop, and after reacting to 96% December remained steady, the excitement having abated. The sudden break in December caused some selling of May, and a decline in that option to 90%c split. However, it became strong again when December reacted and advanced to 31%691%c. It was the general opinion among the floor traders that the break in December had been engineered in order to allow the purchasing of May advantageously. News was principally of a builtsh character. Liverpool cables were well in more strength at 1:30 p. m. Paris was 5 centimes higher. A very severe cold wave was predicted and was expected to close the Duluth harbor, the thermometer at that point registering 6 degrees below zero. Should similar weather continue for several days shipments from that point would have to be abandoned. Northwest receipts were lighter. The deliveries of December wheat were small, not exceeding 50,000 byshels. In the afternoon the market was steady, but near 1 o'clock realizing sales caused a recession, and May wheat dropped back to 90%c again. The close was pear the lowest point of the day for May, but only ½c from the opening for December.

The Wool Market

Boston, December 1.—The American Wool and Cotton Reporter will say tomorrow of the wool trade: "The market has shown very little activity during the past week, except in fine wools. In Austrilia the movement was heavy last Friday and Saturday. The purchasers have been principally mills, the wools being bought to go out of the market. Any change in prices which may have occurred has been of a very spasmodic character. There is a widespread feeling that the depleting of the stocks of Australian makes it certain that higher prices for what is left can soon be obtained, for the reason the wool of this class is now

practically withheld from the market and the gross price has, in some instances, been advanced 2c over a week ago. The sales of the week amount to 1.519,000 pounds domestic tand 3,033,000 pounds foreign, making a total of 4,552,000.

Southern Exchange Grain Letter. Southern Exchange Grain Letter.

Atlanta, December 1.—Receipts of wheat at primary markets are 7,000 bushels less than a week ago and carlots are 47 less than a week ago. Cables were higher than yesterday and our market made a feeble 1e-sponse. December wheat sold at 4c at the opening and afterwards advanced to 8c/c. It is easy to put the market 10 or dawn, but it is very difficult to lift orders at quotations. There was very little wheat delivered on December contracts. Elevator people are trying to control the wheat until it will be too late to load in vessels. There will be quite free deliveries in a few days. Cash corn is in good demand for the present loading in vessels, but that will soon be over, and those who are long December contracts may be sure of getting it very shortly.

shortly.

Pork and lard were delivered freely. On the whole there was a firm feeling in all the markets. Northwest receipts are not so oppressive, and the expected demand seems to keep up, but we may have a let-up before and toward the holidays.

Fruits and Confectioneries.

Alanta. Dec. J—Apples. fancy \$3.50 bbl. Lemons, choice \$2.7568.00; fancy \$3.0063.50 bbl. Lemons, choice \$2.7568.00; fancy \$3.0063.50. Oranges. Messina \$4.0064.50 per box: Louisiana \$3.7564.00 per \$5.00 \times. Florida \$4.00 per box: Bananas, straight \$1.2561.50; cuits \$00675c. Figs. 106.12%c. owing to quality. Raisians new California \$1.5061.10; \times box \$5.00 \times \$0.00 \times \$0.00 \times \$0.00 \times \$1.00 \times \$1.00 \times \$1.00 \times \$0.00 \tim Provisions.

Atlanta. December 1 — Clear ribs boxed sides 5%: clear sides 5%: ice-cured belligs 8c. Sugar-cured hams 11@12%c: California 7%c; breakfast bacon 10 Glile Lard, best quality 8%c; second quality 5%c: compound 4%.

St. Louis, December 1—Pork quies; standard mess new \$8.25: old \$8.50. Lard lower: prime steam \$4.02%; choice \$4.05. Bacon, boxed bots extra short clear sides \$5.12% @ \$5.25; ribs \$5.50 & \$5.62%; shorts 5.62% @ \$5.75. Dry sait meats, shoulders, boxed, \$5.12; entra short clear sides \$4.75@4.87%; ribs \$5.12%@5.25; shorts \$5.12%@5.25. New York, December 1— Lard dull; western steam \$4.45@4.50; December \$4.47; refined steady. Pork quiet; Tamily \$11.50@12.

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Chicago, December 1— Pork \$7.15@7.20. Lard \$4.20@4.324. Short rib sides, loose, \$4.19@4.60. Dry saited shoulders, boxed, \$4.75@5.00. Short clear sides, boxed, \$4.45@4.55.
Cincinsati, December 1— Lard active at \$4.10@4.124. Bulk meats quiet at \$4.50. Bacon steady at \$5.86.

Naval Storez.

Savannah. December 1—Turpentine firm at 30% bld; sales 223 casks; receipts 1,863. Rosin firm sales nene bbls; receipts 3,950. A. B. C. D. \$1.15; £1.20; £1.20; £1.20; £1.20; £1.20; £3.20; M\$1.75; N \$2.15; window glass \$2.40. water white specific sales at \$2.40.

\$3.80.

Charleston, December 1—Turpentine firm at 38; sales none. Rosin firm: sales none: A. B. C, D, \$1.01: E f \$1.15: G \$1.20: H \$1.25: I \$1.30: K\$1.40: M \$1.60: N \$2.05; window glass \$2.30: ware white \$2.70.

Wilmington, December 1—Rosin, dull; strained \$1.10: good strained \$1.20; receipts — barrels. Spirits turpentine firm at 29: 630: receipts — casks. Tar nrm at 1.00; receipts — bils. Urade turpentine steady at \$1.40@\$1.30: receipts — bils.

Sugar and Coffee.

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New York, December 1.—Coffee, options orened steady at an advance of 10 points and ruled moderately active on local covering and switching to more remote deliveries on fears of reaction from over discounting heavy actual and prospective supplies ard predicted smaller Brazilian shipments; closed steady and unchanged to 10 points advance; sales 15,750 bags, including December 5.60; March 5.80@5.90. Spot coffee, Rio steady, No. 7 invoice 6%, mild steady, Cordova \$4,014.

Sugar, raw firm, refined firm.

New Orleans, December 1.—Sugar, open kettle steady at 2%,02%, centrifugal firm, granulated 41-16,44%, whites 311-16,614%, yellow 3½,0313-16, seconds 2½,02%. Molasses, open kettle 12029, centrifugal steady at 4012, sirup steady at 17022.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—Ordina-

GEORGIA. FULTON COUNTY—Ordinary's Office, November 19, 1897. J. G. West, rdministrator on estate of Isabelle D. West, rdministrator supplied for leave to zell the land of said deceased. This 3s, therefore, to notify all concerned to file their objections, if any they have, on or before the first Monday in December next, else leave will then be granted said applicant, as applied for, W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary. novil, 18, 25; dec2—thur

GEORGIA. FULTON COUNTY—Ordinary's office, November 10, 1897. Julia Dugger, guardian of Hennie Dugger, minor, has applied for leave to sell the land of said rinor. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned to file their objections, if any they have, on or before the first Monday in December next, else leave will then be granted said applicant, as applied for.

W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA. FULTON COUNTY—Ordinary's office, November 10, 1897. Martha L. Hardwick and Thomas A. Ward, administratrix and administrator of estate of John W. Hardwick, deceased, represent that they have fully discharged the duties of their said trust, and pray for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned, to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in February next, why said administratrix and administrator should not be discharged from said trusts.

from said trusts. W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

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GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—ordinary's Office, November 10, 1897. Mary J. Alexander, guardian of George W. Alexander, minor, represents that she has fully discharged the duties of her said trust, and prays for letters of dismission. This is therefore, to notify all persons concerned, to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in December next, why said guardian should not be discharged from said trust.

novil, 18, 25; dec2—thur

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—Ordinary's Office, November 10, 1897. William C. White, administrator of estate of William Hargrove White, deceased, represents that he has fully discharged the duties of his said trust and prays for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned, to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Monday in February next, why said administrator should not be discharged from said trust.

W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

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GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—Ordinary.

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GEORGIA. FULTON COUNTY-Ordinary's Office. November 10, 1897. Wesley Darden, guardian of Charlie, George, Clemmie,
Henry and Mamie Darden, minors, has appiled for leave to sell interest in land of
said minors. This is, therefore, to notify
all concerned to file their objections, if
any they have, on or before first Monday
in December next, else leave will then be
granted said applicant, as applied for.

W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.
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GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—Ordinary's Office, November 10, 1897. Hinton J. Hopkins, administrator on estate of Mary R. Hopkins, deceased, has applied for leave to sell the land of said deceased. This is, therefore, to norify all concerned to file their objections, if any they have, on or before the first Monday in December next, else leave will then be granted said applicant, as applied for.

W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA FULTON COUNTY.

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GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY—Court of Ordinary, Chambers, November 19, 1897. The appraisers appointed upon application of Anna Beermann, widow of Charles Beermann, for a second twelve months' support for herself and minor child, having filled their return, all persons concerned are hereby cited to show cause, if any they have, at the next December term of this court, why said application should not be granted. 1A. W. 4W. W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary. novil. 18, 25; dec2—thur novil. 18, 25; dec2-thur
GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY-Ordinary's Office, November 10, 1897. Thomas
Goosby has applied for letters of administration de bonis non on the estate of John
H. Mabry, deceased. This is, therefore, to
notify all concerned that the same will be
heard on the first Monday in December
next.

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GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY-Ordinary's Office, November 10, 1897. Notice is
hereby given to all concerned that Martha
Sims, late of said county, died intestate,
and no person has applied for administration on the estate of said deceased, and
that administration will be vested in the
county administrator, or some other fit and
proper person, on the first Monday in December next, unless valid objection is made
thereto.

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GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.—Ordinary's Office, October 6, 1897.—George Ware,
administrator of the estate of Patrick P.
McMahon, deceased, represents that he
has fully discharged the duties of his said
trust, and prays for letters of dismission.
This is, therefore, to notify all persons concerned, to show cause, if any they can,
on or before the first Monday in January
next, why said administrator should not be
discharged from said trust.

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GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY Ordinary's Office, October 7, 1897; Mrs. M. R. Brown Sequard, administratire of Dr. C. E. Brown Sequard, represents that she has fully discharged the dutes of dismission. This is, therefore, to dismission. This is, therefore, to drive or dismission of the discharged from such that the drive of the dismission of the discharged from such that the distribution of the distributi

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY, Ordhary's Office, September 8, 1897.—John B. Jett administrator of the estate of A. W. Jett deceased, represents that he has fully decharged the duties of his said trust and prays for letters of dismission. The therefore, to notify all persons concerns to show cause, if any they can one of the first Monday in December and why said administrator should not be a charged from said trust. why said administrate charged from said trust.

W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary. sept9-3m-thu

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY-Ordinary's Office, November 10, 1897. Jefferson D. Dunwoody has applied for letters of Sundianship of the person and property of John Dunwoody, an insane person. This at therefore, to notify all concerned that the same will be heard and letters granted therein on the first Monday in December 1987. nov11, 18, 25; dec2—thur

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY-Ordinary's Office, November 10, 1897, Susan M. Deans has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Wiley B. Deans, decased. This is, therefore, to notify all concerned that the same will be beard on the first Monday in December next.

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GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY-Ordingry's Office, November 10, 1887. Hulbert Bussey has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Mary C. Free deceased. This is, therefore, to notify concerned that the same will be heard the first Monday in December next.

W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY Ordensery's Office, November 10, 1897. John N. Malone has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Mary A. Malone decased. This is, therefore, to notify all cacerned that the same will be heard on the first Monday in December next.

W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY-Order ry's Office, November 10, 1897. Jame I. Hull has applied for letters of adminimation on the estate of Henry Wright, dessed. This is, therefore, to notify all ascerned that the same will be heard on first Monday in December next. N. H. HULSEY, Ordinan, novil, 18, 25; dec2—thur GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY -ON

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY.-Ord ry's Office. September 8, 1897.-Samuel Rambo, administrator of the estate of llam M. Jones, deceased, represents the has fully discharged the duties said trust, and prays for letters of the sion. This is, therefore, to notify all sons concerned, to show cause, if any can, on or before the first Monday in cember next, why said administrator ale not be discharged from said trust. W. H. HULSEY, Ordina sept9-3m-thu sept9-3m-thu

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GEORGIA, FULITON COUNTY.—Ordingry's Office, September 8, 1897.—Julius H.

Kuhns, administrator of estate of July

W. Nealy, represents that he has fully charged the duties of his said trust, as prays for letters of dismission. This is therefore, to notify all persons concern to show cause, if any they can, on or fore the first Monday in December and the said administrator should not be charged from said trust.

W. H. HULSEY, Ordinar, sept9-3m-thu

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GEORGIA. FULTON COUNTY-Ordinary's Office, November 10, 187. Notice is hereby given to all concerned that Charles Steed, late of said county, died intestate, and no person has applied for administration on the estate of said deceased, as that administration will be vested in its county administrator, or some other fit as proper person, on the first Monday in December next, unless valid objection is made thereto.

W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary.

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GEORGIA. FULTON COUNTY-Ordingry's Office, November 10, 1897. Edward Wisson has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Benjamin J. Wilst deceased. This is, therefore, to notify concerned that the same will be heard the first Monday in December next.

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GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY-Ordistry's Office, November 10, 1897. David M. Freeman has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Amanda M. Freeman, deceased. This is, therefore, to softy all concerned that the same will beard on the first Monday in December 18, 26; dec2—thur

GEORGIA. FULTON COUNTY-Ordistry's Office. November 10, 1897. Blanches Caldwell has applied for letters of admirtration on the estate of Arthur B. Cawell, deceased. This is, therefore, to not all concerned that the same will be not the first Monday in December next. W. H. HULSEY, Ordinar, novil, 18, 25; dec2-thur

GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY-Ordistry's Office, November 10, 1897. Earle Prohas applied for letters of guardianship at the property of Pinkle Price, minor, unter age of fourteen years. This is, the fore, to notify all concerned that the saw will be heard and letters granted there on the first Monday in December next.

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GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY-Ordinary's Office, November 19, 1897. Mrs. S. S. Ozburn and Charles E. Adams, administrator and administrator of the estate of Seaborn K. Ozburn, deceased, represent that they have fully discharged the duties of their said trust, and pray for letters of dismission. This is, therefore, to notify appearsons concerned, to show cause, if any persons concerned, to show cause, if any they can, on or before the first Moday is February next, why said administrator is administrator should not be discharged from said trusts. from said trusts. W. H. HULSEY, Ordinary

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GEORGIA, FULTON COUNTY-Court of Ordinary, Chambers, November 10, 180f. The appraisers appointed upon application of Isabella Gunn, widow of John Gunn, for twelve months' support for herself, having filled their return, all persons concerned at hereby cited to show cause, if any have, at the next December term of the court, why said application should not segment. novil, 18, 5; decl. thus.

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TRAFFIC MEN CALL FOR CANDLES

The Electric Lights Went Out on Them. but They Kept On.

WORKING TO GET THROUGH

They Did Not Stop for Supper or Any.

WILL BE NO CHANGE IN FERTILIZER RATES

The Meetings and Conferences Were Harmonious-Nearly All Have Returned to Their Homes.

the railroad officials got through with their work here earlier than they had expected. They were all anxious to hurry ogh here and return to their homes. They cannot afford to be away from their month, because they have to sign the couchers and payrolls and attend to a

On Tuesday night while they were session at the Aragon the electric lights ent out, the boller having suddenly laid down on the engineer. "Turn on the gas," said Mr. Shaw, of the

Georgia Southern and Florida. The bellboy reported that there was r gas. Something was the matter with the

ter or the connection there was no light and raffway men will not do anything in the dark.

"See if you can't get some candles," Vice
President Finley, of the Southern, sug-

gested.

That Mea solved the question. The canuntil after 10 o'clock. They were running a through schedule. There was no stop for the supper station, for water or any-thing else. Then this morning there were other meetings and conferences and by midday the dockets had been cleared and the officials began to scatter. Some flew porth and some flew south and when night fell very few were left. Vice President D. F. Jack, of the Plant, left last night for Tampa to join President Plant. General Manager Pleasant went to Jacksonville and

the others to their respective homes.

Vice President Egan, of the Central, remained over to discuss the bridge matter and other questions.

The fertilizer rates will continue unchanged. Cotton seed and some other articles of traffic were talked over, but it was nced that no radical changes wer made in regard to anything. Every one said that the meeting was harmonious and that the roads in this section are getting along

peaceably. Business holds up fairly well and they are all hustling to make what they can, for they do not expect unusual prosperity. It cannot come to the south with 5-cent cotton. The farmers are short. grop and Georgia's proportion of that would be more than \$5,000,000. The Georgia farm-ers revenue is short from \$5,000,000 to \$10,-00,000 this year. If the farmer does not get the money, the railroads do not get it.
The farmer is the great producer. He
makes the product which brings the money
into the country and if he does not bring
it in from the outside times are not flush.
All the traffic men said that the low price

DEPEW ANSWERS SMITH.

The New Yorker Wants a Pooling Law Passed by Congress.

President Chauncey Depew, of the New York Central, takes issue with President Smith, of the Louisville and Nashville, on the question of a pooling law. Mr. Depew says that the proposed law is not near so dangerous as Mr. Smith fears it would be. He accounts for Mr. Smith's opposition on the theory that the Louisville and Nash has sharp water competition by river

"I don't agree with my friend Smith on this question and never have. It is no new position for him to take. He has a railroad property that is peculiarly affected by the that that fact, to some extent, influence

his attitude in antagonism to a railroad pooling law.
"What Brother Smith says of the tree mendous power of the interstate commerce commission should it have the right to fix ates, sounds well, but the practical side of It is that I, for one, would prefer to do business under a uniform rate fixed by a ic body rather than under a demoral-

"The railroad business of the last six

Fresh Vaccine

Points Received

months has been done on the basis of a demoralized rate," continued Mr. Depew, "and while the increase in earnings everywhere has been great, you will notice that it has been greatest in gross earnings rather than net. You must understand, too, that these earnings have followed a tremendous harvest here and an equally great crop movement, induced by the wheat demands of Europe upon us.

"Some statesmen tell us, as does President Smith, that a pooling law is too great a power to centralize in the hands of any public commission, but the absence of one is tending, on the one hand, to create a

is tending, on the one hand, to create a middleman's monopoly as against both pro-ducer and consumer, and at the same time to destroy the main hope of prosperity for the railroads.

"You take the great freight shippers of their own freight cars and thereby getting mileage rates with which no individual shipper who has to pay regular rates can compete. The latter is being steadily eliminated under present conditions as a factor in the selling markets of the country. Chicago and St. Louis dictate the price at which he must sell his grain; Chicago fixes the price of his cattle, and the flouring interests are now also consentrated in one

"The big shipper now goes to the west-ern farm with his private freight cars, states the price that he will give for the wheat or cattle, as the case may be, and then, having dictated to the farmer the selling price, he turns around and in the same way dictates to the railroad the haul-ing price. That is the stimates which exing price. That is the situation which exists to a large extent today, and to which we are steadily/drifting."

Mr. Harman Returns. Mr. Charles E. Harman, general passenger agent of the Western and Atlantic, has returned from Hot Springs, Ark. He had a pleasant trip and comes back to his office feeling 100 per cent better.

Baggage Allowance Raised. The Seaboard Air-Line yesterday issued the following circular increasing the regu-

the following circular increasing the regular baggage allowance to passengers travefing over their line:

"On and after December 5, 1897, and until further notice, the Seaboard Air-Line, in order to meet the action of its competitors, will allow free 300 pounds of baggage for each passenger holding full ticket and 150 pounds for each half ticket between stations on its line. The rules governing the checking of baggage to be the same as outlined in excess baggage tariff No. 1, effective January 15, 1897, and circular No. A 890 in effect June 10, 1896. There will be no change in the free allowance in checking baggage through to points beyond the Seaboard Air-Line."

Only eighty-five railways of 285 reporting to the Pennsylvania railroad commission paid dividends last year. These roads have nearly 23,000 miles of line and employ 235,000 people.

The sleeper which is now running between St. Louis and Atlanta by the Louisville and Nashville will be extended December 15th to Charleston. This line will give a daylight ride between Atlanta and Charleston both ways.

All stations on the Illinois Central have raised their quarantine.

A trolley line seven miles long out of Niagara, N. Y., runs through the country and the farmers patronize it largely for sending their fruit and other farm products in to market. On level grades the motor can pull ten loaded freight cars.

The railroads entering Charleston are reported to be backing a project to estab-lish a summer and winter resort on Long island, near Charleston.

William G. Wheeler has been appointed traveling passenger agent of the Pennsylvania, with headquarters at Baltimore. He is especially to look after the business of the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk, and to report to J. R. Wood, general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines east.

Mr. R. C. Judson, of St. Paul, Minn., has accepted the position of industrial commis-sioner of the Oregon Railroad and Naviga-tion Company, at Portland, Ore.

Mr. A. H. Pride has resigned as general eastern freight agent of the Chicago and Northwestern in New York.

Mr. E. J. Ashburn has been appointed general live stock agent of the Illinois Central, with headquarters at Fort Worth, Tex. President H. M. Comer, of the Central, is hunting birds in middle Georgia. He is a good shot and is very partial to a good dog.

resident E. C. Spalding, of the Knoxville and Northern, is in Atlanta, K New York.

Traffic Manager Lutz. of the West Point, was over yesterday from Montgomery.

The board of education meets this afterregular monthly session. It is not known what business the board will transact this afternoon, since nothing is now made public until after it has happened. It does not

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The 50th customer gets free I bottle best Violet Water, worth 50c. The 100th customer gets free I bottle Carnation Cream, worth 25c. The 150th customer gets free a large package Violet or Heliotrope Sachet, worth 25c.

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300th customer gets free 1 bottle Lavender Smelling Salts, worth 50c. 350th customer gets free 3 cakes Eastman's Violet Soap, worth 75c. 400th customer gets I box Jacobs' Dovers-Quinine Tablets, worth 25c. 450th customer gets free I Aluminum Covered Cologne Bottle,

500th customer gets free 1 bottle Imported Bay Rum, worth 75c.

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TWO STORES: 6 and 8 Marietta Street.

BOARD'S SESSION WAS YERY BUSY

County Fathers Disposed of Many Matters

SESSION LASTED TWO HOURS

Not the Slightest Reference Was Made to the Courthouse Deal.

CORPORATION TAX COMES UP FRIDAY

After First of January Judge Candler Will Hold Court on Second Floor of Ellis Building.

The board of county commissioners held terday. There was nothing sensational about the discussions and the commission roll was called. A full board was pres The courthouse deal was not referred to at any stage of the session and nothin occurred to remind the small audience o spectators that a storm had burst into the board only a few days ago.

The question of corporation taxes was not acted upon, but notice was given of a special session which is to be held Friday morning, when the question will be discuss ed from both standpoints.

By a unanimous vote the board decided to pay Tax Receiver Armistead the commissions which he claimed under the law The vote was not taken, however, until ar opinion had been handed down by the county attorney.

Chairman Adair stated that the new jail livery until February 15th. Ordinary W. H. Hulsey is very anxious

to secure a complete set of Georgia reports for his office. He appeared before the commissioners yesterday and urged that his set, which is now about half complete, be filled out so that the library which the law requires to be kept in his office, shall be authorities.

Chairman Adair stated that the county had now on hand three sets which represented \$500 each, and he did not know where the money was to come from with which to buy Judge Huisey a set.

After quite a lengthy question was referred to the committee or courthouse supply with power to act. Commissioner Spalding stated that he had been informed that the city had made the claim that the county was not entitled to any revenue from liquor licenses, and h asked that the legislative committee be instructed to look into the situation and see just how matters stood.

New Court for Judge Candler. Judge Candler will hold his criminal court

beginning January 1st, in the Eilis building the county commissioners ratified the report of the committee on public building and the entire second floor of Captain El-lis's building was leased for a term of twelve months at a rent of \$75 per month. For several weeks the committee on pub-lic buildings has been endeavoring to find a suitable courtroom for Judge Candler. Captain Ellis furnished the committee with his proposition and the committee, accom-panied by Judge Candier and Solicitor Hill, examined the building and decided to recommend the lease. Judge Candler had pre-viously appeared before the commissioners and asked that he be relieved from holding court in the basement of the courthouse. He declared that the basement was poorly ventilated, insufficiently lighted, cold and damp and so foul from odors and sewerage that it was impossible for him to preside over the trial of cases.

Solicitor Hill added his protest to holding would prefer a small room rather than the basement with its cold and odor. At the meeting of the commissioners yes terday the proposition made by Captain Ellis was formally accepted and the county proper papers. The courtroom for Judge Berry, in the Coker building on East Hunter

street, costs the county \$103.85 each month, making nearly \$200 per month the county is paying for floor space which is not furnished by the courthouse.
"I think if there was any doubt about good reasons for a new courthouse, those

doubts have now been dispelled as the dew before the morning sun," said Chairman Adair yesterday as the matter was being

Tax Defaulters Must Pay.

Commissioner Rosser is in favor of re-lieving all tax defaulters who will pay up their taxes within the next ten days. His motion to this effect, however, was lost yesterday, after an interesting discussion.
He stated that many persons had been under the impression that they had made returns, and he did not desire to make the matter burdensome to the property owners. He thought it would be a good idea to allow all the defaulters to pay up promptly at the same time warning them against a failure next year.

Commissioner Spalding objected. So did Commissioner Brown. Chairman stated that a move of that nature destroy the whole system and that it would

attorney, who is to hand down an opinion as to whether or not the county would have a right under the law to relieve the defaulters of the penalty.

Commissioner Rosser said he desired to call the attention of the board to the fact that none of the presidents of banks in the city had returned the special professional

"I did not return mine," said he, "be-cause there was no blank upon the return sheet and no question was asked about it by the receiver. I suppose that is the rea-son why all the other bank presidents did not return theirs. I have no desire to get out of paying this professional tax, but I do not think I should be in default when the blanks printed and ordered out when the blanks printed and ordered out by the comptroller general fall to provide for the return of this tax." The other members of the board agreed

The other members of the board agreed with Commissioner Rosser and all the bank presidents were relieved by a unanimous vote from the penalty for failure to return the professional tax.

The attention of the comptroller general will be called to the deficiency in the blanks and the question will be properly asked next year and the tax will be required.

Board Roasts the City. When Councilman Eldridge Lumpkin ap-peared before the board of commissioners vesterday he held in his hand a map of the He stated that the city had approved

of the plan and all that he desired was to interest the county and secure the grading of the driveway by the convicts. The drive, as proposed, is to be fifty feet wide, and will be entirely off of the property included in the park, but a walk ten feet wide will be used as a sidewalk for the new driveway.

Beautiful Things in Fancy Work

The fancy work creations of this year are all the works of art. Men of artistic genius have for the first time turned their attention generally to this field. And they have scored many a triumph. Brilliant originality, exquisite taste and consummate skill, in conception and execution, marks them all. The fancy work department of this store is filled with these beautiful things. Prices are not high. Indeed, they are astonishingly low. If you're looking for something for holiday gifts you'll find what you want here---beautifully embroidered linen picture frames, menu holders, clipping books and pretty novelties of all sorts.

A Few Specials

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Twelve-inch Doylies, on fine linen 12c Each
Center Piece, 18x18 inches25c Each
Denim Table Covers, 36 inches 25c Each
Linen Picture Frames15c Each
Stamped Doylies 5c Each
Sofa Pillow Covers25c Each

Douglas & Davison,

57 to 61 Whitehall St.

county did \$100,000 worth of grading at the

Commissioner Brown wanted the matter referred to the committee on public works

and when the vote was taken the qustion

Convicts Are in Peril.

The county convict camp is liable to be destroyed at any time by fire.

out referred to the peril of the camps be-

immediate action to provide for protection

"I am not talking as an insurance man," said Mr. Pattillo, "but I am going to cal

the attention of the commissioners to the condition of the convict camps. There is absolutely no protection and if a fire were

o break out in the camps there would be

have been so pronounced by Chlef Joyner, who has made an inspection of the camps. What the county should do is to provide

for a system of sprinklers and put in new hose. Too much precaution cannot be tak-en, for it is too fearful to even contemplate

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hat question for information

the roads was possible.

the park property, but which was enjoined by the court upon the petition field by Colonel W. T. Moyers.

"What does the city propose to do if the county will move the dirt and make all of the grades?" asked Chairman Adair.

Councilman Lumpkin replied that the city would build the sewers and provide for the propose drainage. SIMMS CHARGES GROW IN NUMBER

proper drainage.

"The city has been absolutely faithless," said Chairman Adair. "It promised to spend \$40,000 at Lakewood. The county did its part of the work, but the city broke faith with her areas of the county in the city broke faith with her areas of the county in the city broke faith with her areas of the city broke. The Negro Has Committed Many Offenses Against the Law. faith with us. The city would not even build a little sewer for the new jail and I

HE WILL BE BROUGHT HERE

s based upon a promise from the city. The Has Forfeited Two Bonds, One for \$1,000, Another \$600.

Commissioner Spalding said he favored the plan, provided, of course, the city would perform its part of the contract and LANDRUM, ONE BONDSMAN, HELPS OFFICERS would not shift the entire burden on the county. He thought the work could be very easily accomplished by the county His Attorneys Talk of His Case—Will during the wet months when no work on Receive Heavy Penalties if Con-

victed--Forgery His Failing.

Benjamin E. Simms, who has been arrested in New York as a suspect from Atlanta, has had a varied career here, and as the dockets of the cours are examined it is found that a large number of charges are still in existence against him. Forgery seems to have been his failing, and the greater number of his alleged offenses are of that rature. That is the announcement that was made yesterday by Colonel W. P. Pattillo, who was before the board on another matter,

greater number of his alleged offenses are of that nature.

It was stated in yesterday's Constitution that he had been carried before the federal court for using the mails for fraudulent purposes and that the postofice had been rotbed and he was arrested as the guilty party, but when brought up, for a trial escaped from his prison and was not arrested for some time, when he gave a \$1,000 bond, which was afterwards forfeited for his non appearance.

bond, which was afterwards forfeited for his non appearance. He has forfeited another bond in the superior cour for \$500. He was arcsied about a year ago for forgery, having had a check in his rossession for \$20 with the name of Mr. R. A. Hemphill on it. He attempted to pass it and was detected. Simms was not tried on this, as he was not here at the last term of the court, and it is not known whether he committed the forgery or where he obtained the check. Messrs. Chandler & Chandler were his attorneys in this case and well remember him. They have received letters from him at intervals and the last was received a month ago.

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When arrested on the charge of forgery a friend by the name of Landrum went on his bond, and it is believed that this is the person who aided the officers in New York to catch Simms. Landrum, since he stood the bond of Simms, who failed to appear at his trial, has had to forfeit his bond, but is allowed until the spring term of the court to produce the body of Simms and secure the \$600 that would otherwise be turned over to the court.

There were two years intervening between the time when he escaped from the federal prison and when the charge was made against him in the superior court. He had been looked for by the revenue men but had not been caught when he was here last summer.

While here he told his attorneys that he that the result of a fire in the camp would SUFFERERS FROM COUGHS SORE THROAT, etc., should try "Brown's Bron-chial Troches," a simple but sure remedy. Sold only in boxes. Price 25 cents.

but had not been caught when he was here last summer.

While here he told his attorneys that he had some very valuable coins and that he had been offered \$20,000 for them by a man in New York city. He sent them there and never received a reply from the man. He put the case in the hands of a lawyer in New York named Huntington, and after an investigation he was told that he had a good case and enough money was sent him by the firm to pay passage there.

He left here and went there. Since then he has not been seen and his bond to the zurerier court has been forfeited. His bondsman has, it is believed, gone after him and he will be brought to Atlanta very soon.

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The statement he made when arrested, that he had gone to the north for the purpose of making speeches on the negro problem and delivering lectures on the race question, seems to have been a myth, and originated on the spur of the moment. It will probably go hard with him when he is brought here.

His family live on Peters street and Warhington Simms is considered a very reliable and honest old negro by these who know him. A case of smallpox has recently been found in the family, and they cannot secure aid from any attorney in the city.

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Sub-Committee Agrees on a Plan To The Republican Committee Has Already

Drug Stores Must Keep Liquor in a Separate Apartment.

AND PAY A LICENSE OF \$250 ANNUALLY

Judge Andy Calhoun Appears Before the Committee and Tells About the Liquor Law Violations.

The sub-committee of the police and ordinance committees appointed to devise and report back a plan to relieve the retail saloon keepers from injury caused by illegal traffic in the liquor business by drug stores, wholesale dealers and blind tigers has decided upon the following as the best solution possible of the problem:

"Wholesale dealers who sell in quantities of not less than one gallon to pay a license of \$50 annually.

"Dealers who sell in quantities of not less than one quart to pay a license of \$250 annually.

"Retail saloons to pay a license of \$1,000 annually. "Drug stores in which liquor is sold

to be required to keep their liquor stock in a separate compartment of the store, partitioned off from the balance of the room and in full view of the public, no liquors to be kept in any other part of the house.

"A violation of the liquor regulation laws, so proven and decided by the city recorder, to work a revocation of license held by any dealer, wholesale or retail.

"The liquor department of drug stores to be closed promptly at 10 o'clock at night and kept closed on Sundays, holidays and all other days on which retail saloons are closed by

"Drug stores not to sell liquors at any time on doctors' prescriptions except when compounded with medicines. "These regulations to go into effect on January 1st."

The Best Plan Possible.

This agreement of the sub-committee consisting of Alderman Hirsch, Councilman Howard, City Attorney Ancersor Councilman Dorsey and Mayor Collier, was reached at a meeting held in the city hall yesterday. It is regarded as the best plan which it is possible to put into effect in view of the difficulties with which the committee was confronted.

There may be some further changes made by the general committee when the report of the sub-committee is made, but the plan as outlined will doubtless be the final settlement of the problem unless same plan entirely new is suggested.

The police department will be given explicit instructions to make every effort to enforce the proposed regulations and a strict watch will be kept on the drug stores and other dealers who are accused of violating the laws. Cases will be made against parties who break the regulations as to hours of closing, opening and Sun-

Judge Andy Before the Committee. Judge Andy Calhoun appeared before the sub-committee vesterday, and he cold the members about the difficulty of convicting He was asked many questions by the committee and he explained the nature of the pending in the police court now and those that have been tried and ais-

Judge Calhoun has refused to convict reputable drug store men on evidence of hired decoys employed by the detective department. The detective department has made a number of cases on evidence of disreputable men, whom they employ to go to the drug stores and buy whisky on Sunday or holidays, the detectives agreeing to pay the spies \$2 for each conviction. Judge Calhoun refuses to believe a man who will sell himself for such purposes and when cases of the kind are made he

This is what he told the committee and what he has announced from the bench. Slaughter Pays \$2 for Evidence.

Chief of Detectives Slaughter says there is only one way he can enforce the law, and that is by hiring men of this class t buy liquor and then swear against the drug store men in court. He says the usual price paid such witnesses is \$2 for each conviction, the money not to be paid until

"And we can never depend on our witnesses after they have bought the whisky and the cases have been made," says Captain Slaughter, "because a man who will sell himself to the detectives for \$2 will turn around and sell himself to the drug store men or defendants, whoever they may be, for \$5 and leave town or refuse to testify for the city."

Dr. Joe Jacobs and Mr. Hamilton Douglas, his attorney, appeared before the committee. They said the Jacobs Pharmacy Company stands ready to obey any regulations made by the city or pay any fee that may be charged.

The drug store dealers and wholesale men have been paying a license fee of \$50 annually. By the proposed change in the law the drug stores will all be required to pay \$250 license. It is believed that only a few of the drug stores will take cut license at this rate.

AT RAILROD Y. M. C. A. TONIGHT.

Interesting Programme Will Be Rendered by Prominent People.

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The second monthly entertainment of the railroad department Young Men's Christian Association will occur at the rooms, 44½ East Alabama street, this evening at 8 o'clock. Dr. A. A. Marshall will deliver his humorous and instructive lecture on "Mistakes in Geography." This of itself would furnish a splendid evening's entertainment, but in addition the following persons will contribute musical numbers, which will greatly enhance the enjoyment of the occasion:

Miss Kate Stein, planist; Miss Edna Kesslar, vocalist: Professor J. Kesslar, violinist; Mr. Joe Redmon, bone scloist. Pollowing the programme fruit will be passed and sociability will be the order until the guests are ready to depart. All railroad people are cordially invited. The entertainment is entirely free.

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TOM - BLODGETT TURNS UP ONCE MORE

Has Quit Fighting, Though, and Is Badly in Need of a Job-The Republican Outlook.

The crusade of Fulton's republicans to oust democratic incumbents in the postoffice has begun in earnest. Apropos of the recent caucus held in Odd Fellows hall, the committee appointed then left for Washington a few days ago and are working assiduously to convince the bosses a gigantio mistake has been made in the distribution of official ple in Atlanta.

This august body consists of Hon. A. A Gordon, colored, editor of The Atlanta Reporter, and Hon. Henry Lincoln Johnson, olored, law partner of the famous Bill Pledger. These two Svengalis will try to hypnotize the president and his Hanna into ousting the democrats of Atlanta and giving their positions to knights of the party who fought, bled and came near dy ing for the election of McKinley, as far as Georgia is concerned.

ing reports. They say their plans will ma-terialize. The president will agree that democrats have no business holding positions. He will order them ousted at once. Moreover the civil service will be abolished. Its protecting arms, which failed to protect Major Couper, will avail naught The favored ones have had their day. Now is the time of the mutineers. Thus pro-

claimeth the disappointed ones. This committee has it in for Captain Wright, of the secret service department Captain C. K. Maddox, superintendent of mails, and W. W. Colquitt, the revenue agent. Messrs. Gordon and Johnson say these incumbents must go. They are bringing all sorts of charges against them, even unearthing Captain Wright's detective record, and will urge their dismissal. As to whether they will succeed is speculative. The incumbents have little to say but do not seem afraid. Some of them say the committee is like a little dog barking at

Want Republicans Out. Too.

But this mutinous element is after the republican incumbents too. There seems not to have been an equitable division of the spoils of victory. The mutineers, formerly led by Tom Blodgett, but now by Jackson McHenry, swear by all the nine gods they are going to have positions in where. They swear the civil service mus go; that even if it does not go, the republicans and democrats not of their liking must go anyhow. The republican pot therefore is boiling.

Tom Blodgett, the rampant little erstwhile leader of the mutineers who disappeared so suddenly some weeks ago, has bobbed up serenely again, and his mighty lungs fill the custom house with loud air as before. Blodgett, however, is like Samson when he lost his hair. The old time spirit is gone. Defeat and constant disappointment seem to have mellowed his temestuous spirit.

"I've quit fighting," said Blodgett ver terday. "It don't pay. Jackson McHenry can lead the mutineers-as you call 'emall he wants to. I am out of it. I was apto Washington, but I never went. What I want is a job-damn it, I have got to have a job! Can't git it though by fighting. I've done found that out. Now, I am going to try another method.

"That true bill against me? It will never come up in the world. They just did that to keep me from going to Ohio to heat Hanna for the senate. It cost them about \$75 though. I am glad of that. They can't down Little Willie, don't care what they

Then Tom took a chew of tobacco and he was too full for further utterance.

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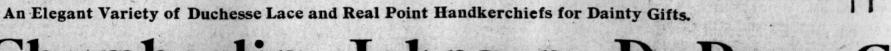
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During his brief visit to Atlanta he node an excellent impression, and it is with a sources of great regret that Mr. Williams and his bride will make their home in Washington city.

Cbristian Church Bazaar.

The bazaar of the ladies of the Christian church, which is in progress at the residence of Mrs. J. J. Barnes, near the junction of Forsyth and Whitehall streets, is proving a great success. The bazaar will continue through today and tonight. There are quite a number of ladies in charge and no entrance fee is demanded of those who visit the bazaar. Large crowds have so far been present, and today is expected to be the most successful day yet.

W. C. T. U.

The annual election of officers for the Atlanta South Side Woman's Christian Temperance Unlon will be held in Good Templars hall, 72½ North Broad street, Thursday, December 2d, at 3 o'clock p. m. Arrangements must be made to we come \$10,000.00 FOR ANSWERS These ten Picture Puzzles represent the names of 10 well-known men. We will pay \$100.00 for correct answers. These ten Picture Puzzles represent the names of 10 well-known men. We will pay \$100.00 for correct answers. In order to increase the circulation of "The Sanny South," we have inaugurated one of the geniest offers in the listory of the publishing business. We are willing to spend \$100.00 in making our publishing business. We are willing to spend \$100.00 in making our publishing business. We are willing to spend \$100.00 in making our publishing business. We are will not appear to be substituted in the formation of the publishing business. We are will not appear to be substituted in the case of 10 well-known men represented by picture puzzles. To show you what we mean we state that the first name is Henry Watterwon. It may require a large amount of study to ascertain the correct answers, but shrewd, intelligent people can surely win. Kow is your channee. To the person who makes out the worse amount of study to ascertain the correct answers, but shrewd, intelligent people can surely win. Kow is your channee. To the person who scand a correct answers, but shrewd, intelligent people can surely win. Kow is your channee. To the person who scand a correct share we will be a situated and the study of the cash among the 2 who send the best study to a superance, and all others will receive, each a study to a superance, and all others will receive, each at 100,000 or \$25.00, or this \$100 Charagnton Ring. We will be a superance, and all others can at a large regard. It is appearance and a large of any or will receive, each as 100,000 or \$25.00, or this \$100 Charagnton Ring. We will but the had at \$100,000 or \$25.00, or this \$100 Charagnton Ring. Well and you chitche \$100,000 or \$25.00, or this \$100 Charagnton Ring. Well and you chitche \$100,000 or \$25.00, or this \$100 Charagnton Ring. Well and you chitche \$100,000 or \$25.00, or this \$100 Charagnton Ring. Well and you chitche \$100,000 or \$25.00, or this \$100 Charagnton Ring. Well and you chitche \$100,000 or \$25.00, or this \$100 Charagnton Ring. Well bus the same person. Addr

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House-te-House Canvass by the Yacci nating Corps.

EVERY PERSON MUST SUBMIT

Doctor and a Policeman Will Visit Each Home Together.

HEALTH BOARD MAKING THE ABRANGEMENTS

erty.

There should be a full attendance of the members Thursday afternoon.

MARY L. McLENDON, President.
E. A. CORRIGAN, Secretary.

Social Items. Mrs. R. A. Johnson is visiting in Barnes

Mrs. Robert J. Lowry is in New York

Senator Steve Clay was in the city yes-

Mrs. W. B. Lowe has returned from Car-

Mr. Hughes Reynolds, of Rome, Ga., is in

Mrs. Helen Raugh is spending the winte

Mrs. Jarnagin entertains at cards to morrow afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. William McPhelemy are at Palm Beach, Fla.

Mrs. H. H. Thompson nas returned Washington, D. C.

Mr. Lewis Beck left last night for a hunting trip in Florida.

The boxes for the Randegger concert are being rapidly sold.

Mrs. Samuel Lumpkin entertains at a uncheon party today.

General and Mrs. Longstreet expect to leave for Washington today.

Miss Issie Garnie will be the guest of Mrs. W. Y. Atkinson next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Wiseberg are at home to friends at 415 Whitehall street.

The dancing party of Miss Wing and Miss Burke Friday evening will be a delightful

The friends of Mr. James McKeldin will be delighted to learn he is improving in health.

Miss Lulu Kingsbery will visit Washington, D. C., this winter during the gay season there.

The French section of the Manning Circle will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. John McCaslin.

General and Mrs. Henry Jackson, of New York city, are in the city, the guests of Mrs. Harry Jackson.

Mr. Charles Smith (Bill Arp), of Carters-ville; Mrs. Brumby and Miss Marion Smith spent yesterday in the city.

The Daughters of the Confederacy will meet this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the Woman's Club rooms of the Grand.

The party at which Mrs. T. D. Meador entertains tonight will be a delightful occasion. Cards will be the feature of amusement.

event.

her brother, Reuben Hayden, and the groom was escorted by his best man, Dr. Russin, of Washington, D. C. Mr. Julius

A Tempting Luncheon.

The ladies in charge of the bazaar at present being held at the armory will, during luncheon and dinner hours, serve a delicious repast for 35 cents. The menu

delicious repair for a cents. The mean includes oyster stew, meats of all kinds, but or cold, salads, beaten biscuits, olives, pickles, ices and coffee. Each dish is substantial, and daintily served, and gentlemen not wishing to go home for luncheon in the middle of the day will find at the large a most tempting hill of fere

Tonight at the fair occurs a brilliant musicale, under the management of Mrs.

Mary O'Brien, and Saturday will be chil-

dren's day. All-day amusement will be af-forded them, and in the atternoon the little children of Dr. and Mrs. Robert

Ridley will give a matinee.

At the various booths yesterday the ladies were kept busy in the sale of their

many beautiful articles. A lace tea cloth, oriental sofa cushion and a number of beau-tiful dolls were among the articles bringing

good prices. "Dorothy" and "Ruth" are

the names given the two dolls being raffled

and exciting the enthusiasm of hundreds of little folks.

Miss Lowndes's Debut. All society assembled on the south side

last night and were in attendance at the debut of Miss Emma Belle Lowndes. In the afternoon the married people called,

and at night the younger dancing set were out in large numbers. The debut receptions given in Atlanta this winter but emphasize

the fact that no city of its size gives more

beautiful entertainments than does Atlanta. The reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Lowndes last night was one of several

brilliant and successful ones given this season, at which several hundred people were entertained with the case one could

scarcely expect in a much smaller assembly. The decorations were not only elaborate, but artistic, and in their arrange-

ment presented many unique features. Palms and beautiful ferns were the back-ground of follage, making effective the

profusion of chrysanthemums and roses.

The table decorations were appropriate and lovely, and the luncheon served afternoon

and evening sumptuous and delicious. There were hot dishes, salads and ices, and

tempting punch served throughout the

In the afternoon and evening Mrs.

Lowndes and Miss Lowndes were assisted in the reception of their guests by Mrs. R. A. Harris and Mrs. R. B. Swift, Mrs. T. B.

moreland, Mrs. J. G. Oglesby, Miss Hoppie, of Albany; Miss Nita Black and Miss Wil-

Miss Lowndes, the pretty debutante, has

all the charming attributes that make popular and attractive the young scelety

girl. She is of a refined type of loveliness,

urusually bright and very accomplished.
On the occasion of her debut she wore an exquisite and appropriate toilet of white

Hayden-Williams.

The marriage of Miss Nellie Hayden and Mr. John G. Williams, which occurred the afternoon of November 30th, was a very

quiet occasion, at which only the relatives and a few intimate friends were present.

The ceremony was performed at 5 o'clock

at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. George Harrison, by Rev. Dr. Barnett, of the Presbyterian church. The bride's niece,

Miss Lucy Harrison, acted as maid of honor, and the bridesmaids were Miss Jen-nie English and Miss Ruth Cunningham.

A. Hayden and Mr. Shepard Bryan acted

The bride wore a becoming traveling

gown of dark green cloth, tailor made; her hat was of green, stylish in trimming, and she carried bride's roses. The bridesmaids

wore tailor gowns of dark cloth, black

roses.

After the ceremony an elegant repast was served, and Mr. Williams and his bride left on the 7:30 train for Washington.

The handsome home of Mrs. Harrison was beautifully decorated for the occasion of the wedding in a profusion of roses, and the dining room, with its table decorations of white and green, presented a brilliant and artistic scene.

The bride as Miss Nellie Hayden was a young woman admired and beloved for her lovable character, refined nature and modesty. She is the youngest daughter of the late Judge Hayden, who was one of Atlanta's wealthiest pioneer citizens, and on her mother's side represents an old and prominent Georgia family.

Mr. Williams is a prominent young lawyer of Washington city, and is well known and popular, both professionally and socially. During his brief visit to Atlanta he naced an excellent impression, and it is with a sources of great regret that Mr. Williams

satin chiffon and lace.

Neal, Mrs. Albert Cox, Mrs. R. A. Joson, Mrs. Dennis, Mrs. Thomas P. W

rmery a most tempting bill of fare.

Hundreds Vaccinated Yesterday by the City and Private Physicians. Atlantians Stirred Up.

Hundreds of Atlantians were vaccinnated yesterday. The decree of the board of health that all persons not recently suc-cessfully vaccinated must submit to an application of the virus caused a stir in the city and during the day hundreds visited or sent for their private physicians

o vaccinate them. The city physiciars were kept busy all day and they vaccinated a very large number of persons free of charge. The work will be continued today and tomorrow morning the regular house to house can-vass will begin and the work of vaccin-ating the people will be continued until

all have been subjected to the anti-small-

pox poison.

The board of health is arranging to send cut a large number of physicians to visit the houses and offices and shops, and early tomorrow morning, accompanied by a po-liceman, the doctors will start out and begin the work assigned to them. Forty or fifty physicians will be put to work and hundreds will be vaccinated every day until the work is completed and every person in the city has been vaccinated.

Many persons prefer to be vaccinated by

their private physicians, and yesterday when they read of the decree of the board of health in The Constitution, they set out for their physician's offices or sent for them to visit their homes. Vaccin virus was in demand, and the drug stores were taxed to furnish enough of the little white sticks. Fresh supplies are received daily, and the druggists are attempting to so dispose of the virus that only fresh sticks will be on hand at all times. The stuff is far more effective and better when fresh, Mayor Collier and the members of the board of health will get together today and complete the arrangements for the ex-tensive plan to see that everybody is vac-cinated. It is the only way to wipe out the smallpox, say the members of the board, and they propose to quickly and effectively kill out the disease by vaccin-

Dr. T. C. Longino desires it stated that this not he who will vaccinate persons in the seventh ward free of charge, but his son, City Physician Dr. T. D. Longino.

GRAYS AT THE FAIR.

Tonight the Machine Gun Battery and Rifles Will Attend.

The Atlanta Grays, of the Fifth regi-ment, attended the fair of the Capital City Guards last night with about forty mer and were royally entertained by the

casion. Cards was amusement.

The Misses Gauche, Miss Onoreto and Miss Andronico, of New Orleans, who have been spending the past few weeks at Fatonton, returned to their home yester-Guards. The differences that have existed between the captains of these two compants have been explained and they are nowwarm friends, as the reception given the Colonel Ed A. Angler and his two daughters, Mrs. George C. Zimmer and Miss Lillian Angler, are registered at the Fifth Avenue hotel in New York. They will be there for two weeks. Grays last night showed.

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Tonight two companies will be in attendance, the machine gun battery and the Atlanta Rifles. The members of these companies will fill the hall and they will have possession of the show.

Friday night the regiment from Fort Mc-Pherson will attend in a body and Saturday night the fair will come to a cose. Many of the exhibits will be sold at a very low price in order to dispose of them. A very enjoyable entertainment was given on Tuesday night at the Fourth Presbyterian church, when Mr. George Le Forest Wood delighted the audience with a varied selection from his repertoire of low price in order to dispose of them.

A NEW APPOINTMENT.

A special meeting of the entertainment committee of the Atlanta Woman's Club will be held this morning at 11 o'clock in the clubrooms. Mrs. John Hurt and Mrs. Childs are also requested to meet with the committee. The ladies composing the ontertainment committee this year are: Miss. Nora Belle Stark, Miss Dessa Dougherty, Miss May Gude, Miss Agatha Sheeban. Dr. J. M. Thomas, of Griffin, Ga., Appointed Division Surgeon of the Southern Railroad.

Dr. J. M. Thomas is today receiving co gratulations from his many friends in Griffin on his appointment as surgeon of this division of the Southern railroad, which runs from Columbus to Atlanta, and is one of the most important of the many divisions of this road. The honor is highly The Rome Tribune of Sunday last in ac-count of the Atkinson reception of last week pays the following compliment to a vicitive hello: week pays the following compliment to a visiting belle:

"Miss Kate Brunner, a noted belle and beauty of Tennessee, whose p'eture was published in last Sunday's Constitution and one who deserves the pretty compliments paid her, was the prettiest young lady present. There were other beautiful girls and handsome matrons present, and possibly others who have another type of beauty as their 'ideal' may differ from this criticism." appreciated, and is quite a compliment to Dr. Thomas, when it is known that he is practically speaking, quite a young man, but one whom every one admits is entirely competent to represent this or any other road, as surgeon of one of their divisions. In honoring Dr. Thomas the Southern road honors itself, and it is safe to say that he will leave as fine a record as any of his predecessors. Dr. Thomas is a graduate of Miss Eloise Featherstone, who is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Henry S, Wright, is one of the most beautiful and accomplished daughters of Mississippi. She has had the advantages of European travel and was sponsor of Mississippi at the Nashville centennial.

Miss Featherstone comes of an old aristocratic Virginia family. Her father, the late edneral Winfield Scott Featherstone, a distinguished lawyer, twice represented his state in congress and was general in the war between the states. He was a brother of the late Judge Lucius H. Featherstoze, of Newnan, Ga., who was the father of Mrs. Henry S. Wright, of this city. the Atlanta Medical college, of the class of '92, and was chosen valedictorian of his class. He has only a short while ago re-turned from New York, where he attended the post-graduate course. He has a great number of all the latest and most improved instruments known to the surgeon. Dr. Thomas's many friends in Atlanta and the surgeon. Thomas's many friends in Atlanta and the surgeon. The surgeon is a surgeon of the surgeon state will be pleased to hear of his appointment and wish him success in his new field.

Arnold a Little Better.

D. S. Arnold, the merchant who was assaulted and robbed in his store at 714 Marietta street, Monday evening, is still in a dangerous condition. He was slightly improved yesterday, but the physicians believe that this does not count for much, and expect him to die from his injuries.

MUSIC AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

Mme. Hastreiter and Members of He

GREAT ARTISTS ARRIVE YESTER-

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DAY.

Atlanta Honored by the Presence of These Great Musicians.

Mme. Helene Hastreiter, Stanor Giovanni Edgardo and Herr Rudolf von Scarpa, of the Hastreiter Grand Concert Company, the Hastreiter Grand Concert Company, were entertained at the white house Wednesday afternoon by President and Mrs. McKinley. Mme. Hastreiter first sang a little song entitled "No. Sir." This selection was particularly fortunate, as it had long been a favorite with both the president and Mrs. McKinley. The songstress then rendered "Suwanee River." Mme. Hastreiter and Signor Edgardo sang the duet for tenor and soprano from Verdi's "Trovatore." The programme terminated with vatore." The programme terminated with a plano solo by Herr von Scarpa.—Washington Post.

It is interesting to note that the plan It is interesting to note that the piano used upon this occasion was the celebrated Kimball Grand that President and Mrs. McKinley selected for the white house. That it met all the demands made upon it by these great artists, both for vocal and instrumental, is an assured fact from the great success the musicians met with. The Hastreiter company will be heard at the Young Men's Christian Association hall tonight in a programme of great merit.

merit.

The Phillips & Crew company have on exhibition in their warerooms a beautiful selection of the celebrated Kimball rianes.

W. H. PALMER,



COUGH does not always indicate consumption. Mr. W. H. Palmer, of Waterloo, Iowa, writes: "I was taken with a nervous stricture of the bronchial tration, I was so weak I could not sit up. I got no sleep for days except when under the influence of oplates. For four months I suffered agonies and prayed that I might die and be at rest. One physician said I had consumption for I had consumption for I had Dr. Miles' Miles' Nervine consumption, for I had a cough that gave me no rest. But a good old physician whose medicine had failed, Restores Health advised me to use Dr. Miles' Restorative

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is beautifully situated, lying on both sides
of the Howell mill road, about one-half
mile from the city waterworks and onequarter mile from the Woodward postciffice, and has a bright inture. It would
be useful for a suburban home or may be
cut up into small tracts and sub-divided
The land adjoins the old Howell mansion
and has about 3,000 feet on the Howell
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COLORED CONFERENCE MEETS. Will Elect Delegates to General Conference Today.

The conference of colored Methodists, which is in session in Atlanta, held an interesting session yesterday morning, at which a number of prominent colored ministers were introduced and made addresses.

The reports from all the districts except the property of the color of the

six have been made and a number of min-isters made reports on conference collec-

The session today will be an important one, and one of the features will be the election of delegates to the general conference. Probable delegates are Revs. I. S. Person, R. A. Carter, R. H. King, R. K. Harris, R. V. White, H. L. Stallwiths.

Charles Gault Acquitted. Charles Gault, who was arrested last Sunday night on a warrant charging him with having attempted a criminal assault on Mrs. Len Pendleton, we acquitted on his preliminary trial. The warrant was sworn out by Len Pendleton and he announced his intention of pushing the case.



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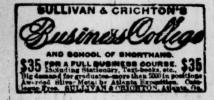
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Atlanta Attorney Has a Warm Response to Sonator Turner.

HE COMES BACK WITH SPIRIT

Is the "Shrewd Atlanta Lawyer" Referred to by the Senator.

HE HAS NO ROSES F2R THE SENATOR

Says Latter Has No Reason and Not Much Intelligence-What He Says.

Attorney John L. Tye, of the firm of Payne & Tye, of this city, has a spirited turn for Senator Turner's intimation on the floor of the senate that he was lobbying with members of the legislature in favor of a railroad bill.

The senator's charge was made on the or of the senate about two weeks ago, but was subsequently withdrawn. It created a small sized sensation at the time, but the senator's prompt withdrawal of it caused the excitement over it to simmer

Mr. Tye, to whom reference was made in the uncomplimentary connection mentioned preferred to remain silent until the measure under discussion was disposed of finally, even to the extent of receiving the governor's signature. This disposition has now been removed and he can speak freely. In referring to the matter yesterday he had this to say:

he had this to say:

"Quite a sensational article was published a few days since, charging that the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis rall-way were endeavoring to lobby a bill through the legislature and that I, 'a shrewd Atlanta lawyer,' was engaged in

this.
"I have purposely refrained from noticing this article until the giver or signed the bill, thinking probably that if any improper the bill." methods had been used by which the bill passed the legislature, that Senator Turner, of LaGrange, who, I am informed, was the author of this accusation, would appear before the governor and make his charge good. The bill has been signed by the governor and its passed by the governor and the govern governor and is now a law, and while it was pending before the governor the charge which Senator Turner made against me was not attempted to be supported. The bill to which Senator Turner referred was a measure asking for relief, and on which appeared to any intelligent mind. There was no need or occasion for him to charge me with lobbying or the railroad which I represented

"In order that I may be set straight, so far as this charge is concerned, I deem it proper to briefly explain the object of the bill against which the charge of lobby.ng

was preferred by this senator.
"The Nashville, Chattanooga and St.
Louis railway is a trunk line with twe ve or thirteen hundred miles of railway, which only touches the state of Georgia two and three quarter miles in the county of Dade, the rest of the line of said raiway being wholly without the state of Georgia. We have in this state a law which prohibits the running of freight trains on Sundays except for special purposes. We desired to have this law modified so as not to apply to railroads beginning and ending in another state in running through Georgia a distance not exceeding three miles. The reason for this was that in the state of Tennessee there was no law prohibiting the running of freight trains on Sunday and the penal law of Georgia made it so that we could not transport the Tennessee freight without committing a misdemeanor in Georgia which made us liable to indictment and prosecution. A further reason was that this law hampered us in competing with the other roads in Tennessee not touching Georgia which handled freight on Sunday. "In 1847 the legislature of Georgia when

"In 1847 the legislature of Georgia, when it gave to the Nashville, Chattanooga and run the two and three-quarter miles in Dade county, provided in the act that the same rights and privileges which were granted the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway in Tennessee should be given it in Georgia. Under the law as it stood, and from which law we were asking relief, we were liable to indictment for violating the Sunday law, and we were being indicted and prosecuted in Dade county. While technically this was a violation of the Sunday law, yet the law which was passed prohibiting the running of freight trains on Sunday was not intended in its spirit to reach a read such as the Nech. spirit to reach a road such as the Nash-ville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway in this particular, and it was for this rea-son that the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway asked for relef; and it

was for this reason that every legislator that I mentioned the subject to readily saw the justice of the demand and favored the concession asked for.

"How such a meritorious appeal as this could have so snocked Senator Turner's regard for the sabbath as to cause him to accuse the Nashville Chattangorg and St. accuse the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railway and myself of lobbying is only explainable from the fact that he is either a crank or too good for this wicked orid. A measure of this character needed no lobbying, nor did it need a 'shrewd At-ianta lawyer' to be behind it, the latter language being used evidently for the purpose of prejudicing the bin, it being the mind of some small statesmen to tunk if they can connect a 'snrewd Atlanta law-yer' with any scheme it is suncient to condemn it. Why senator Turner should have accused me of loboying and then in the same breath admit that he did not know what loboying was shows him to be a man of narrow ideas and small Intelli-kence, he is the type of the type of gence. he is the type of politician we occasionally meet who think that by jumping on a ratiood awye. Is a means of political promotion. It this was has dea he is entitled to all the plomotion and distinction which he can attain from this ruthess assault.

"What I did in connection with the bin

was simply to explain to the members of the regislature the hardships times which the Nashvine, Chattanooga and St. Lodis railway was laboring under the law as it then existed, and then I discussed the measure with Schator Pariner I moogal I was taking to a man of taken page. ting to a man or reason and inter ngence. I have since lound out that he had no reason and his conduct on the hoor of the senate demonstrates that he has little

IN CHILDHOOD'S BLOSSOM.

Little Miss Mary Lampain Passes Away at her Parents' Home. Little Miss Mary Lampson died at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lampkin, on the corner of Jackson street and North avenue, yesterday at 12 o'clock, of scarlet fevel.

The death of this bright little girl casts a deep snadow over the bereaved household. She was only eight years old and the innocence of happy childhood dwelt in her playful eyes and merry laughter. Into many hearts besides those of her own home she crept to entrench herself and the grief which is caused by her death extends itself over a wide circle of friends.

The sympathies of the community go out to the sorrow stricken household in this hour of bereavement, bearing the full measure of that sweet assurance that "of such is the kingdom of heaven."

WISDOM TO BE GUEST AT TONIGHT'S FEAST

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Tonight the second of the chamber of duce the first of a series of dinner discussions in which problems of special local interest will be handled.

Tonight's feast will be spread in the cory breakfast room of the hotel and perhaps 150 guests will be seated around the board to enjoy the clegant dinner and the able discussion. The question which will be handled by the banqueters is, "Should Atlanta extend the policy of municipal ownership," a question which is of special and immediate interest in Atlanta because of the pendency of several important municipal propositions seeking to move many steps further than Atlanta has yet gone in the direction of city control. The pending proposition to purchase an electric light plant for the city is notable among the live problems to be solved, and the strong feeling of interest in that matter will inject unusual life and color into tonight's discussion.

The dinner will be concluded at 8 o'clock, when the evening's discussion will begin. The subject for discussion is: "Should At-lanta Extend the Policy of Municipal Ownership." Formal discussion will be con-ducted by: Affirmative, Judge George Hill-yer and Mr. Fulton Colville; negative, Mr. A. V. Gude and Mr. Harvey Johnson. The informal discussion by members.

Quite a large number of legislators have been invited and will be present, as will a large number of prominent men from out of town. The informal part of tonight's debate will be warm and spicy. It is understood that quite a number of gentlemen will engage in it who talk straight from the shoulder.

Mr. T. H. Martin, in speaking of the dinner tonight, said:

"The dinner discussion has proved to be very much more popular than we had an-ticipated. It was not supposed that more than sixty or seventy of our members would attend, but we have now in hand requests for tickets from more than one hun-dred of our members. Many of these have requested tickets for invited guests, so that we have already issued 141 tickets to the dinner. Our seating capacity is only

150. It is safe to say, therefore, that we will have a 'full house.'

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"The committee has decided to let those who attend choose their own seats. This plan will enable friends to find seats together. It is a very difficult thing for a committee to seat the guests at a large dinner and put every one with congenial neighbors. There will be no difference in the seats. One will be as good as another, but if there be any choice it will fail to those who attend promptly, I should suggest, therefore, to those who desire to select their seats that they be on hand promptly at 7 o'clock, as the dining room doors will be opened at that hour, sharp,

"The committee particularly desires that nembers and guests understand that the dinner is entirely informal. Dress suits are not expected. It is a business men's dinner, and every one is expected to come directly to the Kimball house after the close of business. The dinner and discussion has been arranged with a view to concluding the entire programme by 10:30 o'clock, and it is to facilitate this arrangement that we are so urgent in requesting those who attend to be on hand promptly at 7 o'clock.

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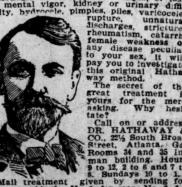
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